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DARROW DRAGGED INTO ALLEGED JURY BRIBERY

CORRUPTION CHARGE IS DENIED

Judges of Court of Appeals Declare Stockton Attorney Has Libeled Them

Demand Full Investigation of Office at Hands of the Legislature

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 11.—Acting on information that Attorney A. H. Carpenter of Stockton would bring charges of corruption and fraud before the assembly of the state legislature, now in extraordinary session, against the judges of the district court of appeals for the third district, the three judges accused sent a communication today to Speaker Hewitt of the assembly demanding an investigation. The judges signing the communication are N. P. Chipman, E. C. Hart and Albert G. Burnett.

CHARGES CORRUPTION. Carpenter's charges against the district court judges were contained in a petition sent to Speaker Hewitt early in the session, in which he specified six cases charging that the court had "willfully, corruptly, maliciously and fraudulently rendered judgment." The communication sent to Speaker Hewitt today requests that "Carpenter be cited to appear before an appropriate committee of your body and to bring forward the evidence, if any, he may have, in support of his very grave, and what we denounce as wholly unwarranted, charges."

The judges declare that the charges made are not true and declare that if the charges are not true, Carpenter is guilty of criminal libel and should be sent to prison. The Carpenter petition will be brought before the assembly at today's afternoon session.

COURT'S LETTER. The district court communication is as follows:

"Hon. A. H. Hewitt, Speaker of the Assembly:

"Sacramento, Cal. "Dear Sir—We have been informed that one A. H. Carpenter, an attorney-at-law of Stockton, Cal., has submitted to you in your official capacity as speaker of the assembly, a sworn statement in which he charges that the judges of the district court of appeals for the third district, have 'willfully, corruptly, maliciously and fraudulently rendered judgments in the following cases that were lawfully before them for decision on appeal, and which judgments the said judges 'knew were wrong, corrupt, unlawful and fraudulent.' In support of his statement, and not otherwise, he refers to the papers and records in several cases and prays that his charges be investigated by the legislature.

"If these charges are not true, Carpenter is guilty of criminal libel and is guilty of willful perjury and should be sent to prison instead of practicing law. If the charges are true, the judges accused should be broken of their offices

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Keeps Hands Off of Reorganization Plan

Supreme Court Declines to Interfere with Decrees of the Circuit Tribunal.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Supreme Court of the United States declined to interfere at this time with the decree of the United States Circuit Court for Southern New York, approving of the reorganization plan of the "tobacco trust."

Two Killed, 63 Injured When Bomb Is Thrown

LIEGE, Belgium, Dec. 11.—A bomb explosion, which occurred during a moving picture exhibition last night, has resulted in the death of two persons, while sixty-three others are suffering from serious injuries. Eight of the victims had legs amputated.

Fifth Set of Twins Are Born to Oklahoma Couple

SHAWNEE, Okla., Dec. 11.—The birth Sunday of the fifth set of twins to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Brown of Shawnee dispels all suspicion of race suicide in that family. The new twins are boys. The Browns were married several years ago and all ten of their children are living.

The armed guard that had charge of conveying the McNamara brothers from Los Angeles to San Quentin. Beginning at top row, left to right: Deputy James A. Cathers, Deputy Fred Donaghy, Chief of Police C. E. Sebastian, Deputy William Fryer, Deputy Martin Aguirre, Sheriff W. A. Hammel, Deputy John Fickes, Deputy F. P. Cochrane, Under Sheriff Robert Brann. In the lower center the two figures are (left) J. J. McNamara and James B. McNamara.



FIRE SWEEPING OVER CONEY ISLAND

Half of Luna Park, Famous Amusement Resort, Destroyed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Fire broke out in Luna Park, one of the great show places of Coney Island, this afternoon. A few months ago, Dreamland, another of Coney Island's big amusement resorts, was swept by flames. At 3:30 more than half of Luna Park had been destroyed and the flames were not then under control. Structures across the street were threatened and the entire island was in alarm.

It is understood the loss will be between \$250,000 and \$300,000.

Failure to Refund Means Prosecution

Railroads to Be Stirred Into Action as Result of Interstate Commission Ruling.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Indictment and prosecution of railroads which fail to refund promptly manifest overcharges on the transportation of freight hereafter will be required by the interstate commerce commission. The commission today called official attention to the fact that it is "unlawful for a carrier to overcharge a shipper, as it is to him a rebate."

It also says that refund of overcharges should be made without an order of the commission.

The theater was crowded with work- men at the time of the explosion and a terrible panic ensued. The bomb, which was charged with dynamite, was loaded with nails. It is believed that it was thrown by a mad man and not by a revengeful discharged employe.

RESCUERS FIGHT WAY TO TOMB OF 100 MEN

More Bodies Are Sought in Cross Mountain Mine; Widows Await Dead

BRICEVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 11.—With ten bodies recovered and identified, rescue parties renewed today their efforts to force the big Cross Mountain mine to give up its dead. Having fought their way three miles into the mountain and beyond most of the cross entrances, members of the rescue crew expect to stumble onto corpse-strewn chambers at any hour. Discovery of the first body this morning came at 10 o'clock, when a dead miner was found in a sitting position in one of the inner chambers. He was Andrew Johnson. Indications were that he had been a victim of black damp. It is believed now that any men who might have escaped the fury of the explosion were suffocated by the gases. A local Red Cross camp began work for the relief of the suffering this forenoon. It is estimated the explosion rendered fifty-six women widows and made 164 children orphans.

That they are a hundred or more dead men remaining in the mine there is no doubt. All hope of rescuing any of the scores who went to their toll Saturday morning has been abandoned.

The discovery late last night of eight more bodies prompted crowds

to gather at the death cavern. Weeping wives, made widows by the disaster in the mines, came to the shaft entrance in scores. In a warehouse, but a short step from the mine entrance, great numbers of coffins are waiting for their occupants.

Of the eight bodies discovered last night, three were sitting bolt upright in a mine car, while the bodies of five others were lying on the ground. Death came by an explosion of dust.

Charles Kesterson, whose body was among the first discovered, was found at the telephone in the mine by the rescuing crew. Evidently he had been trying to telephone news of the blast to the office when he was struck by falling debris. His skull was crushed. Two additional bodies were recovered late today. They are those of Albert Rowland and Eugene Peters. This brings the total to nineteen bodies.

State fell on a rescue party that entered the Cross Mountain mine this afternoon. The squad comprised Dr. J. A. Helmes, chief of the bureau of mines; Dr. J. J. Rutledge of the mine rescue station, State Mine Inspector George Sylvester, Assistant State Mine Inspector W. D. Richardson and ex-Assistant State Mine Inspector L. O. Stone. They were in the mine about two miles. It is not known whether the injuries of the men are serious.

Lincoln Penny Saves This Man From Death

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A Lincoln penny in the left pocket of Joseph Herman's vest saved him from a bullet through the heart in a row in a Bronx Borough resort last night. The coin diverted the bullet, and though Herman's condition is serious from a second bullet wound, his recovery is expected.

Lawyer and Editor Get Peace Prizes

CHRISTIANIA, Dec. 11.—The Nobel peace prize had been awarded jointly to Professor T. M. C. Asser of The Netherlands, founder of the Institute de Droit International (institute of international law), and the Austrian peace advocate, Alfred Fieder of Vienna, editor of the Journal Friedensschwerte. Each will receive \$1500.

PACKERS SEEK AID FROM ON HIGH

Defendants Hold Faint Hope From U. S. Supreme Court.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—While the routine of examining prospective jurors in the cases of the ten packers under indictment for criminal violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, was scheduled to go on before Judge Carpenter today there was hope among the defendants that the United States Supreme Court might be heard from.

CHANCE IS REMOTE.

There was a possibility that the higher court would hand down a decision as to whether it would hear oral arguments on the constitutionality of the Sherman act as petitioned for before Judge Kohlsaat. The refusal of the Supreme Court last Tuesday to issue a stay in the trial was taken as an intimation that it would review the petition only as it came before it in regular form and as a consequence little was hoped for by the defendants on this score.

Eleven men occupied the jury box at the adjournment of court on Saturday and these were expected to be present for further examination. Five had already been questioned. The other six are yet to submit to the questions of defendant's counsel. It was given out as practically certain that not more than four of the eleven would be tendered back to the prosecution.

COST IS \$715,000.

The estimated cost of the preliminary maneuvers in bringing the ten Chicago packers to trial is roughly estimated to date at \$715,000.

This is the estimated aggregate expenditure of both the government and the packers.

Special investigations and special prosecutors have cost the government about \$200,000, while an additional \$120,000 has been paid stenographers, grand jurors, veniremen and witnesses.

The packers are believed to have paid \$225,000 for the service of eight attorneys for three years, while additional expenses have added \$162,000 to the cost.

Buzzes Into Record Century in an Auto

Woman Celebrates 100th Birthday Anniversary by First Ride in Motor Car.

OSWEGO, Kas., Dec. 11.—Buzzing into her second century in an automobile was the experience of Mrs. Samuel Stallard, who took her first motor car ride here Sunday as a part of the celebration of her hundredth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Stallard was born in Frable county, Ohio, in 1811, and came to Kansas forty-one years ago. She has two children, thirteen grand children, thirty-two great grand children and fourteen great-great-grandchildren.

ATTORNEY FACES CHARGE OF BEING 'THE MAN BEHIND'

Juror Lockwood Creates Great Sensation at Hearing of Bert Franklin

Testifies Sleuth Said He 'Would See Clarence S. Darrow and Arrange How the Money Was to Be Paid'

TRIAL OF INVESTIGATOR BEGINS IN SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11.—The name of Clarence S. Darrow, chief of counsel for the McNamara brothers, was brought into the preliminary hearing of Bert H. Franklin, a defense investigator charged with bribery, before Justice of the Peace Young today.

Robert F. Bain, a sworn juror, testified this afternoon that Franklin gave him \$400, promised \$3600 more, and said to him: "Darrow gave me \$20,000 to use."

William Frederick Hoffman, a chauffeur, testified to having been employed by Franklin. Both sides then rested.

Franklin Bound Over

"It is the order of the court that the defendant be held to the superior court for trial and bail fixed as it now is, at \$10,000 cash," said Justice Young.

At the sign of Attorney Ford the court's order was made to cover both counts against Franklin. Court then adjourned.

Attorney Ford said late today that although the state has 30 days in which to file an information against Franklin, it probably would be filed within a week.

"I never used Clarence S. Darrow's name to these men in my life," said Franklin, after the hearing referring to the testimony of Lockwood and Bain. "It is a lie. I may be as guilty as they say I am, although, mind you, I don't admit that I'm guilty at all, but I am not a fool."

What do you mean by that?" was asked. "I'm not making any explanations."

George Lockwood, the venireman whom Franklin is accused of bribing, testified that Franklin told him he "would see Clarence S. Darrow and arrange how the money was to be paid." The utterance created a sensation.

Franklin, sitting between former Governor Henry T. Gage, his counsel, and Lecompte Davis, of counsel for the McNamaras, nodded from time to time to his acquaintances, but when Lockwood's intimately circumstantial story began he leaned his head on his hands and paid attention to the enumeration of the wiles he was said to have employed.

Lockwood Tells Story

Lockwood, in his story, declared he received Franklin's proposal, told District Attorney John Fredericks of it and the following Saturday after his name had been drawn from the jury wheel, allowed Franklin to reopen negotiations on advice of the District Attorney. The first offer, Lockwood said, was of \$2000; the final one of \$4000. When the matter finally was brought up, Lockwood said, Franklin brought in Darrow's name. In a subsequent telephone conversation Lockwood said Franklin asked if he should "bring the big one out," and was told to do so.

"When he arrived," said Lockwood, "I asked him why he did not bring the 'big one' out." "He said, 'Did you think that was Darrow?' and I said 'yes.' " "No," he said, "that's Cap White."

"Franklin," said Lockwood, "came to my house first about 10 o'clock on the night of November 4. I had no appointment with him. I had gone to bed, but went to the door. He said he had some important business with me and merely

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A TRIAL WILL CONVINC
ANYONE --- THE GREAT
KIDNEY REMEDY NEVER
DISAPPOINTS.

A few years ago I was troubled with a complication of kidney and stomach ailments, and although I tried two or three different doctors, I was unable to obtain a change for the better. I decided to give it a trial and purchased a one-dollar bottle of Mr. Alexander's, the druggist. From the beginning I could notice a change for the better and after taking eight bottles of your medicine I felt entirely cured and have not had any trouble since.

Had I began using Swamp-Root sooner I would have been a few hundred dollars to the good and saved myself a lot of suffering. You may use my testimonial any time you wish. Your very truly,
CHARLES E. HARRIS.
460 Sixth St., Marion, Iowa.

I certify that Charles E. Harris signed the above testimonial in my presence, being first duly sworn to the truth thereof, this 12th day of July, 1909.
D. R. KINLEY, J. P.

Letter to
Dr. Kilmer & Co.,
Binghamton, N. Y.

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For You.
Send to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. It will convince any one. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling all about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention the Oakland Daily Tribune. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

PICKPOCKETS REAP
SUNDAY HARVEST

Three Men Victimized and
Hard-Earned Money Is
Easily Taken.

Pickpockets operating in Oakland victimized three men in the past 24 hours, and the police believe that an organized gang is working the cars and the crowds on the streets. Among the victims were Vi Piere of 515 Kansas avenue, Berkeley, whose pocket was picked while he was on a San Pablo avenue car, of \$31.
W. C. Crespo of 1632 Fifty-fourth street was robbed of \$20 in a similar manner while boarding a car at Nineteenth and Broadway. He was jostled by two young men, and believes that one of them took his purse, while the other engaged his attention.
L. Ward of 1231 Peralta street had his pocket picked in a local theater, a black purse containing \$27.55 being taken from him.

O. A. Anness, of Sebastopol, Sonoma county, reported to the Oakland police last night that a highwayman had held up and robbed him at Seventy-fourth avenue and the Western Pacific tracks at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, taking \$5 from him. The highwayman carried a gun at his side, and made him place his hands in the air.
Clothing valued at \$40 was stolen from the room of William Pappas, in the Chardon House, Seventh and Washington streets. The highwayman entered the place last night through the use of a skeleton key. Clothing and a few valuables were taken from the home of George A. Kernick, 1904 Summit street, by a burglar who jimmied his way into the house through a front window.

DUSTLESS COMPANY
SUES SUPERVISORS

Attempt to Prevent Use of Oil
on Roads Will Fail, Says
District Attorney.

If persistent efforts on the part of a certain eastern firm have any avail in the courts of this state, Alameda county today is likely to be a dusty spot in California. There will be no more smooth, oiled highways, quiet, clean and durable, and a large demand that is annually made for one of the state's greatest products will be considerably reduced.
The Dustless Roadbed Company of Camden, N. J., has been ordered by the county for infringement of patents claimed to cover the spreading of crude oil upon roadways, has filed suit against the members of the Board of Supervisors and today Deputy District Attorney George Fitzgerald served summonses on the county officials when they met in the rooms of the board. The action is filed in the United States Circuit Court, but so far the matter has been delayed. Another pointed out by the District Attorney's office, the matter has never come down to trial and in the opinion of Deputy District Attorney Clark, a demurrer is likely to be sustained. The action of the board of supervisors is a contention of the company have not been sustained, while on the other hand those of the District Attorney's office have been effectual.
By their action, the "dustless" concern seeks to prohibit the county from using in any manner, oil upon its highways for the setting of dust or topping the roadway. It is alleged that patents for the use of oil on roads were secured by the company in 1908 and 1909. The suit was brought in Los Angeles county some time ago and is still pending, though it is intimated by attorneys that the outcome can never be a successful one for the plaintiff.

COLLEGE Y. W. C. A. FILES
INCORPORATION PAPERS

Articles of incorporation of the Young Women's Christian Association of University of California were filed this forenoon in the office of the county clerk by Rachel Miller, Ora Muir, Catherine Carlton, Edith S. Brown, Isabella G. Anderson, Mildred Porter, Penelope Murdoch, Reid Venable, Irma Poveaux, Grace Moore, Vivian S. Strowbridge, Alice R. Chandler, Helen Maddock, Dorothy Wilkinson, Edna M. Quibb and Elsie M. Willis. The trustees of the association are the Misses Miller, Muir, Carlton, Brown and Anderson.

MASSACHUSETTS MAN ROBBED

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11. — Charles A. Keer of Back Bay, Massachusetts, was robbed of \$200 and a gold watch when he met on the steamer Handel, en route from Los Angeles, yesterday. The three men who were on board the steamer were escorted to a boat which was being towed into the harbor, and the man was taken to the police station.

GRILLS GIRL
INSTOKES
TRIAL

Lillian Graham, Under Examination, Tells of Relations With Millionaire

Says She Knew Hotel Man Had No Intention of Remarrying; Dodges Age Question

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Lillian Graham, who, with her chorus girl companion, Ethel Conrad, is on trial in the Supreme Court for shooting W. E. D. Stokes last June, was prepared today to face cross-examination. The defendants came into court together and sat with their counsel before court opened. Ethel Conrad probably will be called to give her testimony after Miss Graham has left the stand.

The condition of Stokes, who has been seriously ill as a result of a bullet wound following an attack of acute indigestion, was slightly improved today.

PALES ON STAND.
"Miss Graham, be just as composed as you can under the circumstances," said Assistant District Attorney Buckner, when the senior defendant took the stand. Miss Graham was pale, her features twitched and her hands were constantly to her hair. To the prosecutor's questions she replied in a clear voice, emphasized by shakes of her head.
Buckner first attempted to make the defendant admit that instead of being 23 years of age at the present time she was 27 or 28. Miss Graham refused to become entangled on this point.

KNEW OF DIVORCE.
Miss Graham admitted she knew when she went to the Ansonia in December, 1906, that Stokes had been divorced. She also admitted that she knew Stokes had no intention of marrying again, as he had written to her "that having failed to make one woman happy he did not intend to try with another."

Miss Graham said, however, that her acquaintance at that time was only friendship, with no thought of marriage.

PASTOR DENIES
CHURCH FRICTION

Failure to Preach Due to Cold, Says Rev. J. F. Trivett of East Oakland.

Considerable comment was aroused yesterday at the Church of the Advent of East Oakland, when its pastor, Rev. J. F. Trivett, failed to appear at the 11 o'clock devotional services, although it was announced that he would preach at that hour. He delivered a sermon at the evening services which elicited the usual church music. Dr. Trivett gave as his reason for non-attendance to duty his indisposition owing to a severe cold. He officiated at the holy communion service at 8 o'clock and also at the regular Sunday school morning service was filled by Rev. Walter K. Ratcliffe, formerly a clergyman of Berkeley, who was secured a few days ago upon the request of Dr. Trivett, who asked that he be permitted to substitute for him as he was suffering from gripe.

REPORT UNTRUE.
"Some vindictive person, who wants to make trouble for me with my parishioners, has circulated the report that differences have arisen between me and the church," said Dr. Trivett this morning. "But this is not so. The members of the vestry and my congregation are loyal to me and we have never had differences of any kind. I have been called during my career as minister of the Church of the Advent for the last six years."

"When I began the services yesterday morning I did not feel able to go on with them. I was suffering with a cold. I am indisposed for some little time. That is all there is to the matter, and I cannot understand why such a situation should lead to any differences between a pastor and his congregation."

"The report of the existence of the morning papers to the effect that a session will be called to settle differences between the pastor and the vestrymen is the postponed annual parish meeting, which should have been held last week, but owing to the greatly inclement weather was postponed until tomorrow evening," said Mrs. Norman P. Ellis, wife of one of the vestrymen and an active church worker.
When J. F. Trivett was asked about the matter he referred all inquiries to George R. Babcock, senior warden.
At the home of Babcock it was said that he did not care to see anyone about church matters and that he would refuse point-blank to discuss them.

FORMER STANFORD
MAN DIES IN NEVADA

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—News of the death at Battle Mountain, Nevada, of Joseph A. Miller Jr., a graduate of Stanford university with the class of 1903, who was prominent in college affairs, was received here last night by his friends. Miller died suddenly last Friday at the age of thirty years on the seventh anniversary of his marriage to Miss Ida Henshaw of 2233 Bush street. Mrs. Miller was graduated from Stanford with the class of 1904 and belonged to the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Miller was a member of the Sigma Chi fraternity.

FRANKLIN CASE AROUSES
GREAT INTEREST IN SOUTH
Juror Lockwood and 'Cap' White Are First
Called to the Witness-Stand

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wanted to make an appointment with me. I next saw Mr. Franklin at his office the following Thursday. The first thing he said was that he wanted me on the McNamara jury. I told him that he was taking the first step to prevent me from getting on the jury. He then said our conversation must not be repeated. He said, "George, we're both getting old and have failed to take advantage of things in the past and it's time we worked our heads a little bit. There is \$3000 in it for you to be juror. I was interested, and asked him how it could be accomplished. He said it would be perfectly easy. The first place there will be \$500 before you go into the jury box at all, and if you are sworn as a juror there will be \$1500 more sure." I asked how it could be arranged. He said "through your wife. She would be the only one who would get to you after you were in the jury box." I said, "Bert, I want to think this matter over." I told him to come the following Saturday.

"NOT GUILTY" VOTE.
"What was said about your vote?" asked Ford.
"I was to vote 'not guilty' and secure an acquittal if possible. He told me that it would be shown that McNamara was with William J. Burns six weeks before he turned state's evidence and that the bombs were planted. He said there would be all kinds of all reasons, doubts to make it possible to vote 'not guilty.'"

Lockwood related that in his next meeting with Franklin he balked at entering into the bargain, but Franklin told him he would be foolish not to do it. "The next thing I did," related Lockwood, "was to tell District Attorney Fredericks on Tuesday, November 14, all that happened. I suggested that I would be a juror in the McNamara case. I asked if he was sure, as I had not been notified. He said, 'You will be. There's \$4000 in this for you.'"

AD TO PROMISE.
The first time he said \$2000 and the second time \$4000?
"Yes."
"What happened then?"
"I told him a man going into this business had to be sure that he'd get his money. I suggested that I would be a juror in the McNamara case. I asked if he was sure, as I had not been notified. He said, 'You will be. There's \$4000 in this for you.'"

Lockwood told of his visit to the home of District Attorney Fredericks discussing the matter fully.
I told him of the conversation I had with Franklin and took him to the home of El Monte. I telephoned from there to Franklin that I would not be able to keep the engagement with him. I asked the telephone girl to listen to the conversation. We arranged to meet at my house at 9 o'clock. I wanted to know if he should bring the 'big one out,' and I said yes.

"Did he call on you that night?"
"Yes, about 9 o'clock."
"Any other present?"
"Yes, in the vicinity, detectives from the District Attorney's office."
"I asked him where Darrow was and he said, 'did you think Darrow was coming?'"
"I said, 'yes, I thought that was what the big one meant.'"
"He said, 'Oh, that was Capt. White.'"
"I again questioned him about the safety of it. He assured me that it was perfectly safe and that I would get my money. We arranged to meet the next morning at Third and Los Angeles streets."

MEETING WITH WHITE.
Lockwood described his meeting with White, corroborating the latter's story on the witness stand earlier today of \$500 that was given to Lockwood and \$1500 held in trust by Captain White until the end of the trial.
Lockwood was cross-examined by Attorney Gage.
"You were a detective once?" asked Gage.
"Yes, a constable."
"How often did you visit the defendant's house before these alleged conversations?"
"Did you not go to Franklin's office repeatedly?"
"No."
"Could you have been bribed to serve as a juror?"
"Objection to the question was sustained."

SUSTAIN OBJECTION.
"Would you have received as your own money to serve as a juror?" continued Attorney Gage.
"No," replied Lockwood, emphatically.
"Would that influence you as a juror?" continued Attorney Gage.
"No," replied Lockwood, emphatically.
"Would you ever have done that?"
"No."
"Who did induce you to accept the money?"
"I did my duty to stop the very thing that was tried to be done."
"I asked you who, if anybody, asked you to receive the money?"
"In order that this might come to light I felt it my duty to let the matter run so far as it could be done."
"Attorney Gage argued that if Lockwood was incommunicable, as he claimed, there could not have been any bribery transaction, assistant District Attorney Ford replied that the fact that one party to the transaction had no corrupt intention did not prevent the other (Franklin) from having it."

DARROW IN DENIAL.
When apprised of the testimony in the Franklin hearing, Attorney Clarence S. Darrow said:
"Whatever Franklin and Lockwood said I know nothing at all about it. I had nothing at all to do with 'getting to' any juror in any way. Through negotiation the case had been practically decided for a week, and I certainly would not have spent money that way at such a time, even had I been so inclined."

Lockwood's testimony does not bring the case back to the jury, as said District Attorney Fredericks. "It is a matter of fact that the case was decided for a week, and I certainly would not have spent money that way at such a time, even had I been so inclined."

Many Subpenaed in
This City Yesterday

The following witnesses were subpoenaed yesterday to appear before the Federal Grand Jury in Los Angeles in connection with the dynamite investigation. Among the number are employees of the different hotels at which J. B. McNamara, under the name of Bryce, registered during his sojourn in San Francisco and San Jose; others live in the vicinity of the Ingersoll home at which he resided; others in the neighborhood of the house in which was discovered the cache of giant powder; while still others are wharfmen, shipbuilders, boat-owners and employees of the Giant Powder Company:

(By GEORGE H. BURNHAM, Chief Deputy U. S. Marshal.)

MRS. C. D. HURD, Third avenue and East Sixteenth street, Oakland.
GEORGE PARKER, East Oakland.
JOHN PETERSON, owner of a boathouse at the foot of Twelfth avenue, East Oakland.

PETER PETERSON, wife of the boathouse keeper.
MRS. JOHN PETERSON, 1118 Thirty-ninth avenue.
HARRY H. WATKINSON, 302 East Ninth street, Oakland.
HARRY BRIDGEMAN, East Oakland.

W. S. BRUSSTER, 919 Linden street, Oakland.
GEORGE PHILLIPS, MANUEL SILVA, WILLIAM FLYNN and MISS BRIGGS of the Giant Powder Company, Giant.
E. H. BAXTER, Alameda, part owner of the launch Pastime, which is believed to have carried the powder from Giant to San Francisco.

(Subpoenaed by DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL PAUL J. ARNERICH.)
MATT ARNERICH, wharfman at the foot of Howard street, where the launch Pastime, carrying the dynamite from Giant, is believed to have made a landing.

FREDERICK GARDEN, 1875 Filbert street, laundryman, wanted to identify laundry marks.
GEORGE DIXON, manager Argonaut Hotel, where J. B. McNamara registered under the name of J. B. Bryce.

W. BOONE RILEY, manager Hotel Montgomery, San Jose, where Bryce is believed to have stopped during his activities in this territory.
MISS ETHEL GILL, 1604 Dolores street, formerly telephone operator at the Argonaut Hotel.

MISS EDITH SNYDER, cashier at the Argonaut Hotel during the visit of Bryce.
MISS GENEVIEVE TARR, cashier at the Argonaut Hotel during Bryce's visit.

PERRY R. VAN DYKE, Belvidere Hotel, Powell street, where Bryce is believed to have stayed for a short time.
JAMES C. O'BRIEN, 1867 Fifteenth avenue south, where the giant powder and dynamite was stored.

(By DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL T. F. KIERNAN.)

EVERT M. COLEEN, custodian of the checkroom at the Ferry building, where a suit case belonging to Bryce was discovered.
HARRISON M. NUTTER, 7 Tremont street.

AUGUST MICO, 1283 Church street.
FREDERICK BANHKE, 1638 San Bruno avenue.
J. L. RYAN, Police Department.

D. H. INGERSOLL, 3308 Mission street, at whose home Bryce resided for two weeks.
T. M. TVED, clerk of the Winchester Hotel.

MRS. L. BODIN, 1745 L street.
MRS. V. ERICKSON, 1602 Twentieth avenue.
MRS. JOHN FOX, 1656 Nineteenth avenue.

MRS. A. WHITEFOX, 1613 Nineteenth avenue.
MRS. C. H. WILSON, 1618 Nineteenth avenue.

(By M. J. FITZGERALD, DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL.)

THOMAS BILLS, 450 Lincoln street.
MRS. BEN LAVIN, 2410 Mission street.
I. E. ROSS, 841 South California street.

JOHN LOFTHOUSE, 2401 Mission street.
W. P. BROWN, 3282 Nineteenth avenue.
MRS. G. H. BROWN, 3282 Nineteenth avenue.

DR. F. ASHWORTH, 2497 Mission street.
M. T. BURKE, Police Department.
BRUCE MCGAUL, connected with the Giant Powder Company, San Francisco office.

R. J. STUBBIECH, Lincoln Heights.
T. J. BRANSON, San Mateo.

(By ELMO WARNER, DEPUTY U. S. MARSHAL.)

TILLIE MCARTHUR, 1517 York street.
MRS. E. J. MERRILL, 394 View street.
JOHN S. RIVOLTA, 1531 Sausalito street, postal clerk, supposed to have handled mail for Bryce.

MISS RAY ARLINGTON, 606 Ashbury street.
HENRY WILLES, 928 Haight street.
ANNA WHITE, 480 Pine street.

and 25315, were performing their first labor for the state, beginning an atonement which for them was just through life. At 6 o'clock this morning the men were roused from their slumbers by the harsh clanging of the prison bell, which will punctuate their days for many years to come. At 6:45 they had donned their dismal suit and five minutes later formed part of a striped serpentine procession composed of 1900 men on their way to the mess room.

Both had slept well and they ate the prison breakfast of boiled beans, oatmeal mush and coffee with apparent relish. John J. preserved the gravity of countenance which he has worn since from the first night of the California state penitentiary, where he was pointed out to him. His brother appeared more at ease, surveying the faces of his messmates with apparent interest.

ESCORTED TO JUTE MILL.
At 7 o'clock the two men were escorted with the others to the jute mill to begin their labors. The face of James B. brightened somewhat at seeing the room. As a prisoner he has been familiar with machinery and quickly displayed an aptitude for learning its operation. The elder brother was awkward and it was apparent that his mind was preoccupied, his thoughts far distant from the whirling, clattering wheels of that place of punishment.

It is probable that John J. McNamara will continue in the jute mill for some time to come. James B. will be examined as to whether he has tuberculosis. As such proves to be the case he will be allotted some easier work. James B. was the stolen glances cast at the two men by the other tollers. As was the case yesterday when they were permitted to roam the prison yard, they are real objects of interest. The two men showed no inclination yesterday to hold themselves above the common herd of convicts, but mingled freely with the others.

James B. was even talkative and appeared entirely at ease. His brother was more reserved. The latter perused the copy of the prison rules given him, apparently with the intention of observing them to the uttermost for good conduct may some time win him a parole.

Marshal's Office
Continues Activity

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The United States marshal's office here continued its activity today in subpoenaing witnesses for the Los Angeles federal grand jury dynamite investigation. In addition to the subpoenas served here last week fifty-one persons in San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose were ordered yesterday to proceed to Los Angeles to testify.
A large number of the subpoenas bore the names of employees of the Argonaut Hotel, where James B. McNamara, under the name of J. B. Bryce, and his companion, the missing "Schmitt," were registered for about ten days prior to the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times. Numerous employees of the Giant Powder Company, from which the dynamites obtained the explosives used at Los Angeles, also were summoned.

One of the most important witnesses to be subpoenaed was Mrs. Belle Lovin, at whose house "Schmitt" boarded while the conspiracy against the Times was hatching.
Several persons have been subpoenaed.

JUDGES DEMAND
OFFICIAL PROBE

San Joaquin Tribunal Declares
Attorney Has Libeled
Them.

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as quickly as legal machinery can be made to do so.
"The cases referred to are as follows: 'Matteson vs. Southern Pacific Railroad Company, decided August 28, 1907.' 'Van Valkenburg vs. Oldham, decided February 8, 1910.' 'Loeber vs. Wright, decided April 14, 1910.' 'Carpenter vs. Ashley, decided February 23, 1911.' 'Carpenter vs. Sibley, decided March 19, 1911.' 'Carpenter vs. Ashley, decided May 24, 1911.'"

"Every one of these cases the accused appellate judges affirmed the judgment of the lower court, where the cause was tried and in every one of the cases a petition for rehearing in the supreme court was denied. The records, therefore, show that the judges had the sanction of the trial judges, of the three accused appellate judges and of seven of the judges of the supreme court.

PRINTED RECORDS.
"The cases came up on printed records and were disposed of, as in other cases, on what the records contained, and it is on the records alone, so far as known, that the legislature is asked to make an investigation—that is, to constitute itself a court of review to determine whether the trial court, the appellate court and the supreme court—eleven judges in all—have, on the face of the records, shown themselves to be guilty of corruption in office.

"We respectfully request that Carpenter be ordered to appear before an appropriate committee of the body and to bring forward the evidence, if any he may have, in support of his very grave and, what we denounce as wholly unwarranted, charges.

"Very truly yours,
"N. P. CHAPMAN,
"B. C. HART,
"ALBERT G. BURNETT."

ASKS \$1,000,000
FOR YOSEMITE

Senate Resolution Urges Congress to Beautify Park or Return It.

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 12. — A resolution by Senator John Curtin of Tuolumne county, petitioning Congress to appropriate \$1,000,000 for the beautification of the Yosemite National Park, or else return the park to the state, was passed by the Senate yesterday. The resolution, which is asked to allow \$250,000 per year for general improvement purposes for ten years, if the appropriation is not made the resolution declares the state will ask the reversion of the park.
The debate on the Curtin resolution was interspersed with other matters to the free text book, Senator Shanahan contending that the state should entertain no proposition to give away the burden of the Yosemite Park until the schools of the state were adequately cared for. Several other senators, including Senator Curtin, who introduced the resolution and the chair had difficulty in bringing the controversy back to the original resolution.

Senator Estudillo of Riverside opposed the measure, contending that the park was better cared for by the federal government than it could be by the state. Senator Wolcott introduced a resolution, which it was thought might be reached today, was brought before the Senate at the morning session. Senator Walker's proposed constitutional amendment increasing the number of assembly districts to 97, was amended, the time when it became operative having been extended from 1915 to 1921.

LEHNHARDS ARE
BACK FROM EAST

Visited Big Candy Factories
and Will Put New Ideas
Into Local Plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lehnhardt of this city returned yesterday from a month's trip through the eastern cities, where they visited the large candy factories in Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, Buffalo and Detroit. The original plan of the trip was outlined by Emil Lehnhardt called for a more extended tour, but owing to the weather conditions they left the East sooner than planned.

In the East the Lehnhardts were warmly welcomed and were lavishly entertained. Lehnhardt made a careful study of the ice-cream and candy concerns with the idea of installing the most modern equipment in the \$40,000 factory which will be erected here next spring.

SUPERVISORS AD
PERUVIAN YOUTH

Contribute Fare to Send Him
to College in Missouri; Is
Seeking Education.

After making his way from Chila, Peru, as far as this city in quest of an education, Themistocles Vallejo, a native of the country, found that he could not accomplish that desire and had to turn to the difficulties that he met in conquering the language and in supporting himself. He was called to the case, interested himself in the case of the young Peruvian and found that he had come well recommended from a missionary school on the isthmus of Panama, where he had attended for a short time.
Dr. White today asked the Supervisors for \$15 to be used in defraying the expenses of Vallejo in continuing his journey to Marysville, Missouri, where a former missionary has been found who will assist the young man in mastering the language and in supporting himself while attending a small college located in that city. Dr. White, through his own effort, has raised \$30 toward the railroad fare and the Supervisors agreed to arrange for the remainder of the necessary expenses.

SURPLUS SHOWN IN POSTAL REPORT

Service Is on Paying Basis;
Hitchcock Shows How De-
ficit Was Overcome.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—According to the annual report of Postmaster-general Hitchcock, for the first time since 1883 the annual financial statement of the department shows a surplus instead of a deficit. The revenue for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1911, amounted to \$237,879,423.60 and the expenditures to \$237,680,705.48; leaving a surplus of \$219,118.12. At the beginning of the present administration in 1909 the postal service was in arrears to the extent of \$17,479,770.47, which was decidedly the largest deficit on record. In the brief space of two years this deficit has been changed into a substantial surplus.

The wiping out of the deficit has been accomplished without curtailment of postal facilities. On the contrary, important extensions have been made in every branch of the service. Since the opening of the present administration there have been established 3744 new postoffices, delivery by carrier has been provided in 139 additional cities, and 2618 new rural routes, aggregating 60,679 miles, have been authorized. Meanwhile, the force of postal employees has been increased by more than 8000.

POSTAL SAVINGS SYSTEM.
An important event of the year was the successful organization of the postal savings system. On January 3, 1911, depositaries were opened experimentally at a single postoffice in each one of the forty-eight states and territories. After a careful test for four months at these offices the system was rapidly extended and now comprises practically all of the 7500 presidential postoffices. Preparations are being made to establish the system also in about 40,000 fourth-class offices that do a money-order business.

The Postmaster-general hopes that Congress will promptly authorize the establishment of a parcels post. The benefits of this service are widely enjoyed by the people of foreign countries and should be provided in the United States. The department not only renews its recommendation of last year for legislative authority to start a parcels post on rural routes, but asks a similar authorization for the introduction of such a service in cities and towns having delivery by carrier.

CRUSADE AGAINST FRAUD.
The department's crusade against the fraudulent use of the mails, begun in 1910, has been aggressively continued. Last year the inspectors of this department investigated a great variety of cases ranging from petty schemes for the commitment of fraud on a small scale to gigantic projects involving the sale of worthless stock in imaginary mining companies and other fictitious concerns. There were altogether 539 indictments, and in these cases 184 convictions have been already secured, with but twelve acquittals. Most of the pending cases will come to trial during the current fiscal year.

The swindlers thus indicted had fraudulently obtained from the public many millions of dollars. Reports from the large cities indicate that numerous concerns utilizing the mails in a questionable manner have gone out of business as the result of the department's vigorous crusade. The publicity given the prosecutions through the daily press all over the country has been of great value in preventing innocent persons from being defrauded.

**TAYLOR'S CHAUFFEUR
RUNS DOWN JAPANESE**
While approaching the Oakland mole in an automobile to meet his employer, W. H. Taylor, the lumberman, residing at 275 Uplands, Claremont, W. A. White, a chauffeur, last evening ran down two Japanese riding a tandem motorcycle. He took the injured men to the receiving hospital, where they were treated for abrasions and lacerations of the head and shoulders. The victims, Frank Puffi and F. Shidoe, both residing at 4314 California street, San Francisco.

AIRMEN AND MOTORCYCLES THRILL MOTORDROME THROG MASSON CLIMBS OVER 7000 FEET WHILE DARING RIDERS PACE



Two of the prominent contestants in yesterday's aviation meet soaring over the crowds at the Motordrome. In the lower right-hand corner, reading from left to right, are Francis, Cooke and Masson, the three sensational and daring skylofters.

Cooke and Francis Do Sensational Stunts Aloft; Wolters and Seymour Engage in Speed Duel on Track

The thrills, exciting moments and spectacular sights promised for yesterday afternoon at the Motordrome were meted out in double portion. The aviators flew and the motor riders rode as they never did before, and there were tense periods, exciting enough to set the crowd's nerves on edge.

Not an accident of any nature occurred until the very close of the day and that, fortunately, was not of a serious nature. Coming around the grandstand after the finish of a hard-fought race with Ray Seymour, Motorcycle Champion Joe Wolters collided with Masson and his aeroplane. The Frenchman had made a splendid flight of more than an hour and had risen to an altitude of 7500 feet. He apparently failed to gauge the distance to the ground in making the descent. When he shut off his motor he was traveling at a high rate of speed, and seemingly could not bring it under control. Crashing into the track just after the motorcycle race ended, the upper wing of Masson's craft struck Wolters a terrible blow. The "Farmer Boy" was picked up in a dazed condition and hurried away. On examination it was found he was not seriously injured. Later he was taken home. Masson escaped unhurt, but his machine was slightly damaged.

BIRDMEN THRILL CROWDS.
The aerial meet was all that could be desired. Francis, Masson and Cooke gave splendid flights. The first named was contented to hover over the crowds where he could be clearly seen and his performance thoroughly appreciated. Cooke and Masson soared to great heights, the latter going higher than any other birdman

who has appeared around this section of the state. A more ideal day could hardly have been desired. The air was clear and the sun shone with just enough warmth. With this condition to aid them the three aviators took to the skies. The Oakland boy was the first under way, followed closely by the foreigner who in turn was followed by Francis.

Waving a fond farewell to the crowds Masson rose from the ground, sailed away and in a few minutes was lost to the crowd. He was gone for but a short time when he again hove in sight. All the time he was rising and soaring nearer to the skies. Finally he seemed to anchor in the air and remain stationary. At different periods all three aviators were within range. Cooke was aloft for 45 minutes, Francis 40 minutes and Masson over an hour.

WOLTERS' WINS AGAIN.
The motorcycle races were the best of the year. Wolters proved the bright and particular star of the day, winning both the final of the first professional and the ten-mile, free-for-all.

Seymour started the program with a mile exhibition, and made the distance in 40 4-5 seconds. Hope immediately sprang up in the hearts of the admirers of the San Francisco boy, and predictions were made that he would at last have the satisfaction of beating Wolters. In his heat in the first race, the breaking of a lifting rod lost him his first opportunity to go against the Farmer Boy. The final race of the day brought both together and from the drop of the white flag until the very last few feet had been run the battle was keenly contested. On the seventh lap Seymour took a commanding lead. Then and there it appeared to be his race. Wolters gradually drew closer and captured the lead. From that time on the San Francisco boy was contented to trail the champion. On the last two laps the real tussle was on, Seymour by this time having drawn up on even terms. Riding head to head they battled every inch

of the remaining distance, Wolters coming under the tape at the end, a winner by half a wheel length. Al Ward sprang a surprise by the manner in which he defeated Balke in the second race of the day. The consolation event was gathered in by Seymour, not even a struggle attending his efforts to win.

O. Walker of this city took a spill in the five-mile amateur race. Outside of a few bruises he was unhurt. The summaries follow:
Three miles, professional, first heat—Wolters, Excelsior, and Armstrong, Excelsior, tied for first place; W. Samuelson, Indian, third. Time, 2:07 4-5.
Three miles, professional, second heat—Wolters, Excelsior, and Armstrong, Excelsior, second; T. Samuelson, Indian, third. Time 2:14.
Six miles, professional, final—Won by Joe Wolters, Excelsior; Armstrong, Excelsior, second; Balke, Excelsior, third. Time, 4:11 1-5.

Five miles, amateur, stripped stock—Won by Kohl, Indian; Lorenson, Indian, second; Walker, Indian, third. Time, 4:09.
Two miles, amateur, 30-50 class, stock, fully equipped—Won by Estadillo, Indian; McVay, Indian, second; Camp, Indian, third. Time, 2:17 4-5.
Ten miles, professional, free-for-all—Won by Wolters, Excelsior; Seymour, Indian, second; W. Samuelson, Indian, third. Time, 2:02 2-5.

Two miles, professional, special race—Won by Seymour, Indian; Albright, Indian, second; W. Samuelson, Indian, third. Time, 1:30 2-5.
Exhibition mile by Raymond Seymour, Indian, 0:40 4-5; track record.

Rodgers Completes Last Leg of Journey

LONG BEACH, Dec. 11.—Aviator Calbraith P. Rodgers completed the last leg of his cross-continent flight and landed on the shore of the Pacific at 4:04 o'clock yesterday. The final lap of his trip was twelve miles. Rodgers started at Compton, near Los Angeles, on November 12. As Rodgers approached the sea from the east Frank Champion, in a Blériot monoplane, and Beryl Williams and a passenger, in a biplane, met him. The aviator circled over the sea-to-sea tourist as he made his landing. A crowd of 60,000 persons saw the landing and as the wheels of Rodgers' machine touched the sands an enthusiastic throng surged on the aviator and the impact of the rush pushed his machine into the waves. Rodgers declared his actual flying time from the Atlantic was three days, ten hours and fourteen minutes.

LEAPS TO DEATH ON EVE OF PROSPERITY

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—A grave in the potter's field will not be the final resting place of Bryce Lewis, who leaped to death last week from the dome of the Pulitzer building. Friends have made arrangements for his private burial.
Lewis was nearer to renewing lost families than he knew when he took his fatal plunge. W. A. Barnes, who had befriended Lewis was visited on the day Lewis killed himself, by Mrs. Lew Gipson, of Waterbury, Conn., a cousin of Lewis, her mission being to take Lewis to Waterbury to visit a long-lost and well-to-do brother, Mathew Lewis, now very old and feeble. He and his brother had for a long time believed each other dead.

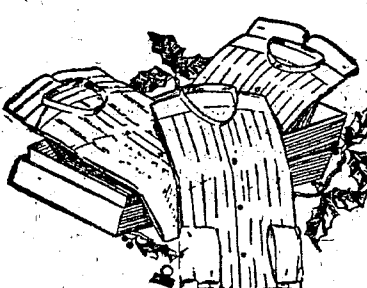
NOTABLES AT FUNERAL.
LONDON, Dec. 11.—Funeral services for Sir George Lewis, the noted Examiner, were held yesterday at Westminster. Many notable personages were present, including Jas. M. Barrie, Sir Arthur Wing Pinero, Sir Rufus Isaacs, Sir Felix Simon and Lord Swathling. Nearly 200 wreaths of flowers were received from the lawyer's friends.

OGDEN PAPER CHANGES HANDS.
OGDEN, Utah, Dec. 11.—The Morning Examiner announced yesterday the purchase of the paper by J. U. Eldridge Jr. and other Republicans of Salt Lake City. Eldridge is United States Assayer. Leroy Armstrong will assume editorial charge. The Examiner belonged to William Glassman, proprietor of the Evening Standard.

SITES FOR MOOSE PROJECT.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The supreme council and university board of the Order of Moose, which is seeking a site for its educational plant, has adjourned for ninety days to investigate further propositions. Before adjournment the joint session rejected all propositions not in or adjacent to Illinois, Indiana or Ohio.

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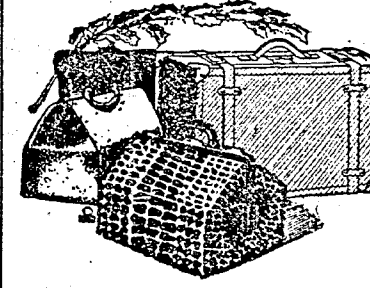
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Men's "Ruff-Neck Sweaters" \$4.00, \$7.50

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A Great Showing at \$2.75 up



Boys' Toques and Sweaters
Toques, all colors, 25c, 50c, 75c.
Sweater Jackets, \$1 and up
"Ruff-Neck" Sweaters, \$4.00 and \$7.50.
Button-to-the-Neck Sweaters, \$2.50.



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Boys' Flannelette Pajamas, ages 4 to 16 \$1.00, \$1.50
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Boys' Four-in-Hand Ties, all colors 25c
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HUMAN ALARM CLOCKS TO CALL

Flying Squadron to Summon
Chicago's Sleepy Heads
to Church.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—A flying squadron of "human alarm clocks," members of the bible class of the Third Presbyterian church here, have started a campaign to assure a better attendance at church on Sunday mornings by waking up sleepy-heads. The action was decided on at the meeting of the bible class last night. Young men who have become indifferent concerning their attendance at church and who live within a radius of three miles of the house or worship are to be aroused in time to attend services.
This move was decided on after Rufus Terry, leader of the class, had told a story of how a young man was added to leave his bed by a member of the "flying squadron" on Sunday morning several years ago for the purpose of attending church. The young man at the present time, Terry explained, is now a minister of the gospel.

ASPXYIATION BRINGS ON DEATH OF BERCKTLE

Ambrose Brecktle, 75 years old, died last night at the receiving hospital of pneumonia, resulting from asphyxiation by gas. He was found unconscious on the morning of December 7 in his room in the rear of his son's jewelry repair shop at 954 Broadway, with gas pouring out of a jet that, it is believed, he accidentally turned on. Brecktle was a shoemaker.

CROOKS WILL SHY AT THIS VILLAGE

Women of Tracy, Ill., to Carry
Revolvers and Practice
at Targets.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—In order that they may become adept in using firearms, women of Tracey, a suburb, have made arrangements for the installation of a shooting gallery where they may learn how to handle revolvers, which they will carry as members of the town protective association.
The target practice was decided on after many women of the town had allowed their fear to be known regarding the use of firearms. The practice of women carrying arms started when the village vigilance committee gave them this privilege to protect themselves against highwaymen.

COURT MAKES I. C. C. INJUNCTION PERMANENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A final decree was entered by the commerce court today making permanent the temporary injunction heretofore granted to restrain the interstate commerce commission from enforcing its orders for material reductions in the transcontinental rate cases. This action was more or less formal, as the government has already appealed the case to the supreme court.

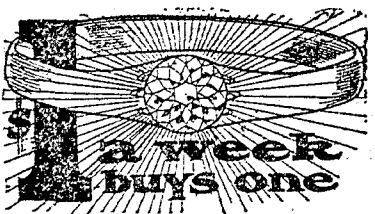
ROBBERS KILL AND BURN WOMAN

Leavenworth, Kas., Shows Case Similar to Other Recent Murders.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Dec. 11.—At the coroner's inquest on the death of Mrs. Benjamin Grey, the aged woman whose body was found burned in the ruins of her home here Saturday, facts were disclosed tending to show that the woman was slain by robbers. According to the county prosecutor, proceedings will follow soon. Mrs. Grey's skull was fractured. The Grey case is the third here in two years in which an aged person has been burned, apparently by robbers. Two years ago Mrs. Mary Schultz was robbed, murdered and her body burned with her home. Trunks broken open gave evidence that the murderer, an aged farmer, was robbed and his body burned in a straw stack near here. No person was held for either of the crimes.

TAKES INJURED MAN TO HOSPITAL IN AUTO

Louis Cabrol, a laborer, 50 years old, was struck and thrown to the pavement last night about 7 o'clock while crossing East Fourteenth street, at Fifty-first, by an automobile driven by Louise L. Bonelli of 145 Tiffany street, San Francisco. Bonelli placed the injured man in his machine and took him to the receiving hospital, where it was found he was suffering from severe contusions of the head and shoulders.
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Seriously Wounds Sister-in-
Law; Attempts Suicide.**

TULARE, Cal., Dec. 11.—Following a separation from his wife, who went to live at the home of her parents with her ten-month-old baby, Henry Hood, aged 40, yesterday called at the house, and after a demand to be allowed to see his child, shot and possibly fatally wounded Miss Eleanora Flieger, aged 16, a sister of his wife. He then shot himself in the breast. As the wound was slight, though the ball penetrated his lung, he attempted to escape, and was captured half an hour later exhausted, but walking rapidly south along the Santa Fe right of way. He was taken to the county hospital at Visalia.

Miss Flieger is in a serious condition. She was shot in the small of the back while fleeing from Hood, and the bullet has not been found. Hood declares he was a preacher at one time. He is now a carpenter by trade.

REGIMENT HAS REUNION.
KANSAS CITY, Dec. 11.—The Thirtieth Kansas regiment had a reunion here Sunday. There were two members present, all it is believed, who survive. During three years' service in the civil war the regiment had fifteen hundred members. The two veterans who conducted the reunion are D. S. Merwin and M. L. Barhart, each 67 years old and both residents of Kansas City.

POPULAR COUPLE TO WED.
SANTA ROSA, Dec. 11.—The engagement has been announced of Miss Hazel Aileen Linsley and Clifford Irwin Freese, prominent young residents of this city. The wedding will take place prior to the holidays and will be made quite a notable event. The bride-to-be is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott Linsley.

When you have a bad cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to cure it with as little delay as possible. Here is a druggist's opinion: "I have fifteen years' experience in the treatment of colds," says Enos Lollar of Safford, Ind., "and consider it the best on the market." For sale by Osgood Bros' Drug Store.



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Kenney is the clown of the pair. He it is who gets confidential with his audience and asks the health of Lizzie's mother. He is also the fellow who closes the act with a number of eccentric dancing stunts that are so rotten, they are good, and best of all Kenney knows it, and that's why he passes it out. It's no Chesterfieldian parlor stunt that these boys give you, either. They're hard workers from the minute Kenney puts his nose out and announces, to an expectant audience, "We're next," till the grouchy manager mentioned aforesaid, rings the curtain down. If you've got the blues have them dissipated this week by a trip to the Bell and Kenney and Hollis.

OF "POISON OAKS."
Swat-Milligan is here also, he the peerless hitter of the "Poison Oaks," who saves the game in the ninth by a lunge at the ball that has given him a niche in the hall of baseball fame. Swat-Milligan gives you plenty of rare baseball slang all wrapped about a stupid Englishman, who, with two street wails, is watching the game from the proverbial knot hole. It is only after the intense enthusiasm of the street gamins that he climbs the fence and joins the crowd of boisterous fans. Swat, himself a modern Goliath, makes his appearance shortly and all homage is his.

Grace Armond proves a distinct favorite with her "Foolish Lie," comedy. It is hardly fair to her face, that she twists it into such ridiculous contortions, but that is one of the privileges of being really beautiful and Miss Armond can claim that distinction without half essaying. Aside from her fair features, however, Miss Armond wins out, and that big on the distinct merits of her very entertaining number.

Miss Edith Fletcher, fresh from European triumphs with the Royal Opera Co. of Berlin, delights immeasurably with a repertoire of happy selections, at which all marvel at the richness of her beautiful voice.

DELIGHTFUL TABLOID.
Mr. Carlyle Moore, well known and always welcome, is here with Miss Ethelyn Palmer in one of the most delightful tabloid comedies that Oakland has seen for many a day. The dual role portrayed by Mr. Palmer, wherein he essays the character of a dandyman, and also the dandyman's son, gives one a most intelligent idea of the histrionic ability of this sterling young actor. Miss Palmer, sweet, pretty and charming as Grace Briarton displays the opposite characteristics exactly in her characterization of the actress' mother.

With Reeves and Bradcombe contributing a dainty musical number, the Torleys an unusual cycling novelty and the new motion pictures the Bell show this week reaches the topmost round of popularity. There is something that everyone can enjoy.

GOTHAM WELCOMES WEST'S GOVERNORS

**Executives Touring East Will
Be Given Formal Greeting
by Mayor Gaynor.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—New York City gave the western governors a popular welcome yesterday when they arrived from Philadelphia, but the formal reception was reserved until today. It will take place in the great hall of City College up town and Mayor Gaynor will make the welcoming address.

The program laid out for the governors with the party governors, lieutenant governors, western businessmen, ranchers and others who accompany them, provides for a visit to Grant's tomb, and across a water trip on one of the excursion steamers and an exhibition of work by the fire boats.

Tonight they will attend a dinner given by John A. Sclacher.

OREGON LINE TO TAP COOS BAY COUNTRY

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The firm of McArthur, Perks & Company, Limited, has been awarded the contract to build the Pacific Great Western railroad from Eugene, Or., to the coast and Coos Bay. The company has begun operations, according to information received, at its offices here. Arthur F. MacArthur, president of the contracting firm, who is interested personally with his brother, John R. MacArthur, in the railroad project, said:

"Work has already been started. I have been informed, and will be pushed to completion with all possible speed. The fact that MacArthur, Perks & Company have received the contract, of course, was not news to me, as I and my brother were among those who conceived the road."

ECONOMY SOUGHT IN ARMY CHANGES

**Quartermaster's, Subsistence
and Pay Departments
Soon to Be Merged.**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The most important army legislation that has passed Congress in years will be enacted at this session, according to the understanding that now exists at the capital.

This legislation is expected to include the consolidation of the quartermaster's subsistence and pay departments, which are now separated into single departments; the lengthening of the term of enlistment to five years; provision for the enlistment of a service corps in the army, and the lopping of expenditures for construction at army posts, which were once important, but have now become useless for military purposes and are kept for reasons of politics or local convenience.

The House Committee on Military Affairs will begin the preparation of the Army appropriation bill the coming week. It is the plan to put all this legislation on the army appropriation measure and force it through the House. Expectation is that the Senate will consent to it.

Under the Republican regime in the House the proposed army legislation would be stricken out of the bill on a point of order, but under the Democratic regime in the House a different rule applies. The rule is that new legislation on an appropriation bill is germane if it operates to reduce expenditures. It is contended that the legislation in what are known as the Hay measures alone will cut down army expenditures largely.

The consolidation of the quartermaster's department, the pay and the subsistence departments will mean economy. It will be less expensive to enlist men for five years than for three. Economies are also claimed for the plan of a service corps whereby the men who do certain civilian work about the army will be enlisted for that purpose. This would operate to relieve the soldiers of much drudgery of which they now complain.

The tendency of the army appropriation bill this year will be strongly in the direction of the brigade post and away from the smaller posts.

HARRY SIMPKINS IN AUTO CRASH

**Society Man Near Death While
Driving Out of Charles
Clark Grounds.**

SAN MATEO, Dec. 11.—Harry Simpkins, a prominent society man and real estate operator of San Francisco, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday in a collision with an automobile owned by N. G. Francis of 225 Turk street, San Francisco, as he was driving his car out of the grounds of Charles W. Clark, son of the millionaire copper king. The Clark grounds are surrounded by a high brick wall, which shuts out the view of the road from any one going out of the grounds. Simpkins had been attending an auction function at the Clark residence, and drove leisurely out of the gate, when the Francis machine, conveying a party from dinner at the Peninsula hotel and going at a high rate of speed, ran into the Simpkins car. The front ends of both automobiles were badly broken and the occupants of both shaken up, scratched and bruised, but fortunately escaped without serious injury.

NICHOLSON AGREES TO OBEY U. S. ORDERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Rear Admiral R. F. Nicholson, chief of the Bureau of Navigation, will leave Washington soon after January 1 for San Francisco to sail for the Asiatic station. He will take command of the Asiatic fleet, relieving Rear Admiral Murdoch about March.

This is the program of Secretary Meyer, following the latest conference with the President about the department changes. Admiral Nicholson has agreed to take his sea command without further objection. As soon as Admiral Nicholson leaves the department Commander Philip Andrews will become chief of the Bureau of Navigation.

JACKIES COMING WEST IN THEIR OWN TRAIN

NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 11.—Five hundred blue jackets left Norfolk yesterday for San Francisco on a special train over the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad. The men traveled in fine style. Rear-admiral Nicholson, of the bureau of navigation, wired instructions to arrange for Pullman and dining-cars for the men and to see that they were given special attention. The men are all long termers and will take the places of men on the Pacific coast whose terms of enlistment expire within the next six months.

LOSES FRIEND AND MONEY.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Richard Wilcox, a rancher who arrived in the city Sunday and engaged a room at the Admiral Hotel on East street, reported to the police yesterday that he had shared his room Saturday night with an old acquaintance and woke up yesterday to find that both his friend and \$131 had disappeared. The ungrateful friend, he says, is Jas. Brown, whom he worked with years ago on a ranch.

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Postal Savings System

The Pink Tea Graft of Politics.

Sombody in the Legislature, apparently with a prejudice against useless things and too many government frills, proposes to abolish the State Board of Accountants. Until this proposal was published probably nine-tenths of the people of California were unaware of the existence of such an institution as the State Board of Accountants.

No reasonable excuse has been offered for its creation, and the legitimate affairs of government can be simplified and probably some money will be saved the taxpayers by abolishing it. We don't know whether it costs anything, but it would never have been created if somebody did not derive an advantage from it. As a rule all such institutions have their origin in the personal schemes of some individual or group of individuals.

California has had a surfeit of absurd commissions, a number of which have been abolished. There was the ridiculous board of Barbers' Examiners and the equally absurd Superintendent of Ramie Culture. They were both about as useful as a tick on a dog's tail. There never was any ramie industry in California, so a salaried officer was provided to superintend something that did not exist. But all the really valuable industries in this State have been brought into existence by private enterprise, without the assistance of some job-chasing politician.

For many years the State made appropriations for the State Board of Silk Culture, which promptly gave up the ghost when the appropriation was withdrawn, but one will search in vain for the fruit of this organization's labors. The defunct Board of Silk Culture originated in a sentimental and poetical notion that a silk industry could be created and made profitable by club meetings and newspaper articles relating to the extent of silk production in Italy, China, Japan and France. But the great economic truth that silk is grown by the cheapest labor on earth was overlooked; also the vulgar fact that it was profitable to grow potatoes, beans and turnips in this State without government encouragement and unprofitable to produce silk with it.

So the silk board was allowed to starve a virtuous death, and after some years of fruitless jollyng the Superintendent of Ramie Culture was cut off the payroll and told to earn an honest living.

But the mania for creating foolish and useless boards still raged. It gave us the Board of Barbers' Examiners and the Board of Accountants. Neither of which is more useful than a kink in a pig's tail and hardly less ornamental. All such excrescences on political administration should be summarily abolished.

Yesterday was a superbly beautiful day, but it has a long list of bloody automobile accidents to its credit. No less than five were reported around the bay, only one of which appears to have been a genuine accident. On the Sloat boulevard an Italian vegetable peddler was run down and killed by a chauffeur who said he was going at a very "moderate rate of speed." That's it. The motor car is always going slow when somebody is run over and killed or mangled. When will drivers of vegetable wagons and pushers of baby carts quit running recklessly into automobiles? The ferocity with which rabbits attack dogs has occasioned universal astonishment, but the reckless folly of the rabbit is not to be compared to the desperate fury with which old men, women and children try to buck automobiles on the highway. Surely the Legislature should pass a law to protect chauffeurs from these dangerous classes.

Again Colonel Dunk McPherson's Muse.

The unreasoning hostility to Colonel Dunk McPherson's poetry manifested by the talented and usually fair-minded editor of the Stockton Mail is inexplicable. It cannot spring from jealousy; it is not prompted by prejudice; it is not the outgrowth of ignorance or political animosity.

It must be because the Mail editor has no poetry in his soul, and cannot feel and respond to the splendid harmonies which fill the spheres with melody when the Colonel strikes his lyre. We say it with sadness, but cold truth compels the admission that our Stockton friend is incapable of distinguishing between a cat concert and the Colonel's singing. He evidently thinks Colonel Dunk's lyre is a Chinese fiddle or some arrangement of horsehair and rawhide stretched over a soap-gourd. It is nothing of the sort.

"Tis the voice of the lobster, I heard him declare:
You've baked me too brown, I must sugar my hair."

His verse is composed in a sausage-mill and given melodic expression by bagpipes. The player must have hog's bristles on his bare legs and the gentle accent of Canada thistles on his tongue, else the strains will have something of the effect—on the uneducated ear, mind you—of Scotch whisky on the untutored Indian. Perhaps Mr. Francis has never seen Colonel Dunk in full poetic costume mixing poetry with the ease and sangfroid of a Chinese cook mixing Hamburg sausage. Otherwise he would not sneer and complain. Not only is his car closed for music, but he is lacking in a sense of humor. The Colonel moves the gods to laughter as well as tears.

Strictly speaking, Colonel Dunk's lyrics do not violate the pure food law. They do, however, manifest a lofty contempt for the laws of rhythm, but the Colonel's genius cares nothing about finicky distinctions; dactyls and dogwood berries look alike to him when he is manufacturing poetry, which is attuned to the broad understanding of the plain people. It is perhaps better adapted to the washboard than the piano, and should always be sung fortissimo—never eaten raw nor drunk undiluted. It falls over its feet frequently; but what of that? Colonel Dunk's poetry, like truth crushed to earth, always rises again, and resounds anew in such thunderous diapason that the larks take to the brush and wait till the noise rolls by. But the dogs bark with delight and the sportive jackass lifts his voice in joyous recognition of a kindred spirit. The junk man comes round to pick up the stray pieces and the policeman wakes up and wonders who touched it off.

All because Colonel Dunk McPherson warbles some divine melody he has composed with a muckrake and a sawbuck, unconscious that he is making the stars dizzy and throwing Phil Francis of the Stockton Mail into convulsions. Let no vulgar prose fiend carp at Colonel Dunk's poetry. It is something indefinable, ineffable, inexpressible. It is prehistoric, preternatural, protoplasmic—an incommensurable combination of skunk's milk and stumpwater. In short, oatmeal mush and Scotch whisky set to music on the bagpipes and played by a laughing hyena.

In a sketch of Salter D. Worden, the trainwrecker (who is called "Simon" in the article) the San Francisco Chronicle says Worden was acquainted with Grover Cleveland in his youth. That is a mistake. When a boy Cleveland went to school to Worden's mother, a most estimable woman, and in response to her appeal wrote a letter to Governor Budd requesting executive clemency for her son.

THE DAYS OF REAL SPORT



It is extremely doubtful if Worden ever saw Grover Cleveland to remember him, as he had departed from the locality in which Worden was bred before Worden reached the age of understanding. Worden was the only member of the gang that wrecked the train in 1894, between Sacramento and Davis, to be convicted. Twice the gallows were erected to hang him, but once he was saved by a reprieve and again by a stay granted in the United States Court.

A Boy and a Goat, and Sand.

The awards of the boys' corn clubs have all been made, and the prizes all given out. Some 60,000 boys in the Southern States engaged in the rivalry as to who could grow the greatest amount of corn on an acre of ground. The results achieved bear wonderful testimony to the success of stimulated youthful interest in agriculture. It is something worth while to enlist such a number of boys in such a competition. Each contestant was confined to a single acre of ground and was required to submit a detailed report of the amount of fertilizer he used, the cost of producing his crop and the methods employed in cultivation. Each boy was required to perform all the work of tilling his acre himself.

An astonishing showing was made. The 100 first prize winners averaged a fraction over 133 bushels of corn per acre. The average yield throughout the United States is under thirty bushels per acre. But the boys produced corn of a better quality than was grown in the adjacent fields. They not only increased the yield enormously, but they increased the quality of the product, and have taught their elders some valuable lessons in fertilization and tillage.

But the boy who accomplished the most remarkable and meritorious results under the greatest handicaps was not a prize-winner. What he did, however, entitles him to a medal for his pluck, persistence and industry. He was a poor Arkansas lad, whose father scoffed at college farming and derided the boy's desire to enter the corn club competition. His land was poor and rocky and he did not believe corn could be grown on it to advantage. He finally gave the boy permission to make a try on an acre of stony hillside land, but would not permit him to use a mule or a horse to plow it, nor let him have a wagon to haul manure. The lad plowed the land with a goat; he hauled the stones off in a hand sled, and he packed manure on his back to fertilize his crop. It took grit and perseverance to do all that.

Mark the outcome. The boy raised 88 bushels of corn on his acre of waste land. His father never raised more than half that on the best acre of his farm. It is a pleasure to record that the plucky lad was awarded a special prize.

But that little fellow has done something better than raise a good crop of corn on an acre of poor land; he has conquered doubts, mastered difficulties, and proved his confidence in himself. He taught himself a lesson of great value, shown that even in his hard narrow circumstances courage, industry and persistence have their rewards. His victory over a sterile soil and the prejudices of an ignorant father is a moral triumph. He is not likely to fail here, after.

There are hundreds of other examples in the history of the boys' corn clubs contests worthy of special mention, but this one alone proves both the value of the competition and the beneficial effect of providing an incentive to youthful ambition. To that Arkansas boy, with his goat for a plowhorse, belongs the highest honor. He did not produce the most corn, but he got more out of his opportunities than any of the others.

Now if somebody would start a row in Peace Congress there would be universal harmony.

ART OF TEACHING

Not long ago I visited the class-room of a new teacher at Tuskegee, who was conducting a class in measurements. This teacher had insisted that each member of the class should commit to memory the tables of measurement, and when I came in they were reciting, sing-song, something that sounded like a sort of litany composed of feet, yards, rods, acres, gills, pints, quarts, ounces, pounds and the rest. I looked on at this proceeding for a few minutes; then a happy thought occurred to me and I asked the teacher to let me take the class in hand. I began by asking if any one in the class had ever measured the class-room in which they were sitting. There was a dumb silence. Then I asked if any one had ever marked off an acre of actual land, had ever measured a gill of water, or had ever weighed an ounce or pound of sugar. Not one hand was raised in reply.

Then I told the teacher that I would like to take charge of the class for a few days. Before the week was over I had seen to it that every member of the class had supplied himself with a rule or a measure of some sort. Under my direction the students measured the class-room and found what it would cost to paint the walls of the room.

From the class-room we went to a part of the farm where the students were engaged in planting sweet potatoes. Soon we had an acre of sweet potatoes measured off. We computed the number of bushels raised on that acre and calculated the cost and profit of raising them. Before the week was over the whole class had been through the boarding department, where they had an opportunity to weigh actual sugar. From the store we obtained some interesting figures as to how much sugar was used a day, then we computed how much was used by each student. We went to the farm again and weighed a live pig, and I had the class find out the selling price of pork on that particular day, not in Chicago but in Alabama. I had them calculate the amount that—not an imaginary pig or a pig in Chicago—the pig that they had weighed would bring that day in the local market. It took some time to go all through these operations, but I think that it paid to do so. Besides, it was fun. It was fun for me and it was a great deal more fun for the students. Incidentally the teacher got an awakening and learned a lesson that I dare say he has never forgotten. "Booker T. Washington in 'My Larger Education'.

MEN AND WOMEN

"Diplomacy is hard to define," said Senator Curtis at a luncheon in Topeka. "It is, however, easy to illustrate. Here is an illustration of diplomacy:

"A Topeka girl one brisk autumn evening sat beside the warm and clanking radiator with a young man. 'This young man was a good catch.' But, though he called often and though he showed many evidences of affection for the girl, he had not yet mentioned marriage. He seemed uncertain. He seemed to be still on the fence.

"Well, the brisk evening I'm speaking of at about o'clock the cook knocked at the parlor door, entered and said respectfully:

"What shall I give your father for his breakfast in the morning, miss?"

"Deviled kidney, I think, Hannah," said the Topeka girl. "Father, these cold mornings, is so fond of deviled kidneys."

"Yes, miss; and would you mind telling me how to prepare it, miss?"

"Soak the kidney," was the reply, "for three hours in cold water, changing the water twice. Then cut into slices, season lightly with salt and pepper and fry a bright brown. Now add a little warm water and stew very gently. Meanwhile prepare the sauce—four table-spoonsful of cold gravy, one of vinegar, two teaspoonsful of made mustard, two of salt, and four of butter. Mix well, pour on the kidney, and stew gently again till done."

"Oh, thank you, miss," said the cook, gratefully.

"The cook had hardly gone when the young man, a new and tender light shining from his eyes, flopped down on one knee.

"Miss Cosgrove—Mildred—dear one, he began."—Washington Star.

ALONG BYWAYS

The sympathy of all good people is invoked in behalf of the Kansas City professor who is lamenting the awful waste of lumber caused by the careless habits of throwing away the stumps of lead pencils.—Chicago Tribune.

The exercises will close with a solo by Ultimate Consumer, "Oh, You Beautiful Dollar!"—Detroit News.

Natural gas has been discovered in Alabama. That's nothing. Arkansas discovered Jeffries Davis long ago.—Charleston News and Courier.

"Victories that are easy are cheap," said Henry Ward Beecher. Certain gentlemen who have had the desire to claim the honor of membership in the United States Senate are able to substantiate Beecher's statement.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Just now the quarrel is whether China shall be run on the European or the American plan.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

When the Chinese republic gets to going what a gorgeous thing its referendum ballot will be.—Cleveland Leader.

Pointed Paragraphs

Faint heart never escaped fair widow. Occasionally a soft answer starts a rough house.

Occasionally a man wins by losing in the political game.

Better a bird in the bush than two bats in your beak.

A man isn't necessarily harmless because he doesn't mean any harm.

Most men who think they are funny are unable to deliver the goods.

Occasionally a spinster advances step by step until she becomes a stepmother.

Some women are so eccentric that they actually say things when they talk.

No, Cordelia, not all medical students are snobs because they cut people dead.

A woman may know just what to say, but she can be depended upon to add a lot more to it.

And many a young man doesn't realize that he is in love until the girl in the case puts him wise.

If a young man kisses a girl on the cheek once, the next time he tries it her lips will get in the way and stop him.

The butcher's favorite authors are not necessarily Lamb and Bacon.

A talkative woman may strike a man dumb, but not with admiration.

Better prepare for winter by getting on good terms with the janitor.

The latest wrinkle often calls for the services of a beauty specialist.

No matter how much a woman loves her husband, it always pleases her to hear that some other man has said nice things about her.—Chicago News.

AUSTRALIAN NAVY

Australia's navy at last is a reality. The first vessel of the fleet was launched during the latter part of October at Clydebank. It is the first unit of 12 ships recommended by Admiral Henderson for the Commonwealth fleet.

The new vessel, named the Australia, is an armored cruiser of the Dreadnought design and the Indefatigable class. She is 578 feet in length and has a displacement of 19,200 tons. Her primary armament consists of eight 12-inch guns. At normal draught her speed should be 26 knots.

The Australia will go into commission as flagship of the Australian division of the fleet. The ship presented to England by the New Zealanders will go out about the same time as the flagship of the division in China waters. The admiralty is pledged to supply a third ship of the same class as flagship of the division on the East India station.

These three divisions will go to make up what already has been officially designated by the admiralty as the Eastern fleet. In that fleet Australia is destined to play a tremendous part, for with 12 ships in commission—probably manned

largely by natives of the island—it will be no mean factor in war or peace.

In interesting contradiction to the Australian action in the recommendation of the Toronto Globe as to the stand that Canada shall take in regard to the empire's navy, Mr. Bourassa, the Nationalist leader, wants the Dominion to declare whether it wants to "build a navy here which will be Canadian in time of peace and British in time of war."

The Star believes that Canada should make a direct contribution toward the upkeep of the fleet, that the ships should be built in British yards under the eye of the admiralty and should bear the names of Canadian provinces.

The contention is raised that the plan of direct contribution "would rid Canada of a navy it does not need, would save three million dollars a year, would keep Canadian enlistment in ships entirely voluntarily, would give effective help to Great Britain, would fit in with the well-considered admiralty policy of naval concentration and would make the sea power of Canada and the British empire permanent and paramount."—Seattle Times.

GOLDFISH ON SPREE

Three members of the chorus of "The Three Remeos," which is playing at the Academy of Music this week, were missing in last night's performance, and it was all due to a little "spree" several goldfish, used on the stage in the musical comedy, enjoyed last Monday night. The young women will not appear during the remaining performances. Manager Tunis F. Dean withheld their names.

After the performance on Monday night these three young women had a mighty thirst, produced by the efforts they had made in singing the several songs assigned them. One of them smuggled a "growler" of beer into the dressing room. It happened that the goldfish were in the room, and that a taste of the beer would refresh them was the unanimous opinion of the three young women. The property

man later discovered the fish in the beer and he put them back into their natural element.

The sportive fish rolled and tossed in the water, wobbled along each wobbled with uncertain wiggles, swam on their backs and acted in general as no good fish would act. Finally they went to the bottom of the globe, stuck their snouts into the openings in the coral castle and "slept it off."

News of the little party reached the ears of Miss Georgia Caine, presiding genius of the "New Thought Society," an organization of the chorus girls. A vote was taken, and the three who had enjoyed the brew were expelled. The outcasts say this was done by the "jealous cats" who heard of the "growler" but who had not been invited to take a sip.—Baltimore Sun.

20 YEARS AGO IN OAKLAND

One of the most pleasant weddings that have taken place in Oakland for some time, occurred last Wednesday evening at the home of E. P. Flint when Miss Helen Flint and Richard Lyman were married by the Rev. Charles L. Mason of Grace Church, San Francisco.

The East Oakland Independent has passed out of the hands of J. L. Fonte into the possession of Jesse L. Edmundson and J. M. J. Kane. Mr. Edmundson has hitherto been editor of Paragraphs and Mr. Kane advertising solicitor for the Times.

The sloop yacht Pilgrim, with Vice-Admiral Morgan's pennant flying at the yard-arm, came into dock this morning after her cruise for observation for the outlet to the Main Creek sewer. She was in charge of Commodore Reed with sealed orders and after getting well out from land he opened them and found that he

was to send out floats and discover which way the tide carried them. On two tides at least nothing was carried out.

Among those present at the graduating exercises of the B-ninth grade of the Cole school last evening were the following: Mrs. Charles Snook, Miss Hattie Wilder, Miss Mabel Palmer, Mrs. Gouge, George Campbell, Henry Weil, Professor Ames, Mrs. A. D. Wilder, Alvin Wilder, Mrs. R. Porter, Mrs. William Letts Oliver, F. W. Sawyer, Mrs. R. S. O'Connor, Don Hawley, Lulu Hill, John Westphal, Gay Stephens and many others.

Zoe House, a driver on the Twelfth street car line, picked up a purse containing \$410 on the floor of his car yesterday. He was just congratulating himself on the find when two ladies appeared and demanded the purse. Of course it was returned and House says that all he got for his honesty was a curt "Thank you."

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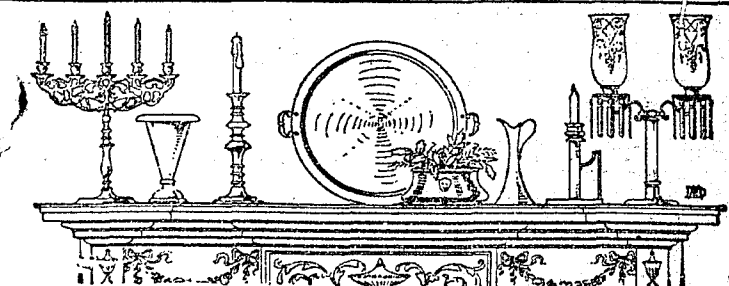
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IN 'EARL OF PAWTUCKET'**



LAWRENCE D'ORSAY and KATHERINE EMMET in "The Earl of Pawtucket," at Macdonough Theater.

(By LEO LEVY.)

Even Osler's hard heart would soften at Lawrence D'Orsay's portrayal of "The Earl of Pawtucket." He is just as young as he used to be. He is suffering neither from age nor a protracted session on the shelf. He has come up fresh and young from a staggering purchase of dramatic demands and would seem to be in the ring for some time to come, or at least for this season and next. Styles in plays change as speedily as Parisian fashions, but "The Earl of Pawtucket" is a combination of all the dips, angles and trimmings of yesterday's comedies and today's. D'Orsay may wear it without being conspicuous for his aged costume.

There should have been a larger audience at the Macdonough theater last night, when D'Orsay and his capable company opened up a three-night engagement in Oakland. D'Orsay deserved it, to say nothing of the play. Miss Katherine Emmet, the staid and the waters. But may we produce our old friend again and remark that "the audience made up in enthusiasm what it lacked in numbers."

HERE'S THE YARN.

The action played about one Lord Cardington, played by D'Orsay. His ladyship has become enamored with a fair American woman, Harriet Fordyce, whom he has met informally through a series of accidents on the other side, and so charmed is he with this lady that he follows her across the Atlantic to meet her formally and pursue his courtship. For diplomatic reasons it is necessary for him to travel incognito. He confides his plans to an American, one Montgomery Putnam, of Pawtucket, who suggests that he use his, Putnam's, name as an introduction to the woman he is so madly in love with and hopes to marry.

It happens that Montgomery Putnam was the husband of Harriet Fordyce and has been divorced from her and to escape paying her alimony he went abroad. The complications which ensue when Cardington arrives at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York, become a matter of natural sequence.

The scenes of the comedy are all laid in the hotel. The first takes place in the north palm room, the second in D'Orsay's apartment and the third in the Turkish room of the hotel.

LIKES HIS PART.

D'Orsay moves through "The Earl of Pawtucket" as if he is deviously fond of it, don't know. He spreads the impression that acting an Englishman is the easiest thing in the world, if you're the thing is so simple, really. The display surprise, you have only to cock your head to one side and show the white of your eyes. Joy comes out in a musical haw-haw that arrives from the vocal deeps. Extreme anger is expressed in a state of peevishness. Sorrow is a thing not existing. Making love is, in the natural course of things, and calls for no effort. RATHER EASY TO PLAY the Earl of Pawtucket, isn't it? But may the patron saint of showmen deliver us from any but D'Orsay as he leads!

Miss Emmet's Harriet Fordyce is exactly the woman the playwright intended her to be—sensible, wise and loving. She puts the stamp of genuineness on Lord Cardington in the first few minutes of the play and makes of a doubtful character a lovable hero.

The remainder of the company fill a set of characters typical of Augustus Thomas' stage individualities. That they fit them as well as they do is a tribute to John Cort's ability to pick winners.

**150,000 AT TALKS
ON CALIFORNIA**

Southern Pacific Lecture Halls
Crowded at Chicago Land
Show Just Ended.

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—The third great annual Land and Irrigation Show which has been holding the boards at the Coliseum for the last month, closed last night after the most interesting and successful season thus far inaugurated. More than 200,000 people passed through the gates of the exposition this year, totally eclipsing all former records of attendance. Of these more than 150,000—or 75 per cent—were interested listeners in the lecture halls maintained by the Southern Pacific railroad lines where they were entertained with descriptions, moving pictures and stereoscopic views of the vast territory covered by those lines.

Twenty thousand dollars was spent by the transportation company in the construction and equipment of free lecture halls, in which thirty-minute talks were given by representatives of different California communities. In all 173 lectures were given—many of them illustrated—and the amount of literature distributed is estimated to have been close to 2,000,000 pieces. The attendance at the lectures exceeded that of last year by 50,000.

"California" elicited more interest, inquiry and enthusiasm than any other section, though liberal time was devoted to Nevada, Utah, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, Texas and other Western states. On "Texas Day," for instance, one of the leading speakers was Judge Robert S. Lovett, chairman of the executive board of the Southern Pacific, who described his recent "swing round the circle" to an immense crowd assembled in one of the lecture rooms. Other speakers—railroad men, chamber of commerce officials, farmers and merchants—pointed out the advantages of the West, always to large and attentive gatherings.

Fifty-five thousand visitors passed through the turnstiles on "California Day" at the Land Show. Once inside they were presented with liberal samples of California products—fruits, berries, nuts, raisins, etc.—together with many pieces of attractive literature describing the Golden State. All this material was transported to Chicago free of charge, the railroads making this a part of their contribution toward the success of the big show. Among the speakers who used the lecture halls were A. M. Lott, San Joaquin Valley; Miss Gifford, Sacramento Valley; Franklin Hope, Southern California; Wilbur Walker, Central California; W. Erwin, W. B. Leffingwell and Colonel Holp, on "Yosemite," "New California" and "New San Francisco."

**KILLS MAN WHILE
RACING IN AUTO**

Oscar Cooper Drives Machine
Into Farm Wagon; Two
Are Hurt.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Speeding 70 miles an hour through fog and darkness on California's coast, Oscar Cooper, automobile salesman and demonstrator, drove a big racing machine into a farm wagon driven by Bartolomeo Parmadame in Sloat boulevard, before killing the driver, killing Parmadame and injuring two other men.

Harold Curry, alternate driver of the racer, one of the injured, was taken to the park hospital in a serious condition, suffering from skull fractures and possibly internal injuries. Doming Drandano, riding on the wagon, was thrown a considerable distance. After recovering consciousness he hurried to the house near by and telephoned for aid. Cooper emerged from the wreckage of the car and wagon unhurt. Later at the park hospital he surrendered to Patrolman A. L. Martin and was charged with manslaughter at the city prison, from which he was released on \$100 cash bail. Parmadame was breathing when an ambulance arrived, but died a few minutes after reaching the city and county hospital. His head and chest had been crushed. His body was removed to the morgue and later taken to an undertaker's establishment. Curry was carried to the park hospital, where it was thought that he probably would recover, although he had received a painful wound in the roadway for some time, and a guard was stationed to prevent other motorists running into the wreckage.

**RECLUSE KICKED TO
DEATH BY HIS HORSE**

OREGON CITY, Dec. 11.—Lying dead beneath the body of his horse, which had starved to death in its stall, after kicking its master to death, Robert Norris, an aged recluse, was found in the barn on his ranch near Maple Lane, this county. Norris, who had been seen near the barn the week past, sent to his ranch to ascertain the reason. Search failed to reveal his presence in his house, but proceeding to the barn, the mutilated body was found, partly under the horse's body. In other stalls were Norris' two cows, both nearly dead from starvation.

**MISSOURI EAGLES DO
HONOR TO MOTHERS**

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 11.—Mothers' day was celebrated Sunday by the Kansas City Lodge of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. This is the first time that a day of Eagles has observed since a day. It came about through a suggestion of Frank E. Hering, of South Bend, Ind., who was president, who intends to have a "mothers' day" established as a regular annual exercise in all lodges of the order. Mr. Hering was present and made an address.

DEMURRERS OVERRULED.

OHIO, Dec. 11.—Judge John M. Whitely, in the United States District Court Saturday, overruled the demurrers of the Hooking Valley Railroad to two indictments charging R. C. Duncan, having given false oaths to the Sunny Creek Coal Company, and he also overruled the demurrer of the coal company to an indictment charging it with having received rebates.

PENSION FUND SPLIT.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—When the Supreme Court dissolved the old Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, it incidentally dissolved the corporation's pension fund, which supports more than 72,000 persons, former employees, widows and children. The fund has been split up with the rest of the business, but will be kept alive in each of the new companies.

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**KILLED IN FIGHT
WITH POLITICIAN**

German Soldier Shot Down
and Alexandre Samaine
Is Arrested.

METZ, Alsace-Lorraine, Dec. 11.—A German soldier named Marsch was shot and killed today during a dispute on the street with a man named Alexandre Samaine, one of the leaders of the French party. Four friends of Samaine, together with himself and his brother, were arrested for complicity in the crime.

The incident has caused great excitement and the trial of the accused may have a momentary effect in fanning the hostile feelings of the races, which are already so acute in Alsace-Lorraine.

Alexandre Samaine holds a prominent position among the French party. He was the organizer of a big demonstration in Metz on January 9, last, when troops had to be called out to disperse the crowds who paraded the streets singing the "Marseillaise" and cheering for the republic of France.

**FIVE YEGGMEN CAUGHT
WHILE RAIDING TOWN**

REDDING, Dec. 11.—What is believed to be a well organized gang of yeggmens was broken up here at midnight when the officers captured five in the act of burglarizing James Young's hardware store and F. Eaton's drug store. Two more were caught after breaking into the toolhouse at the gas works. The entire gang were working their way to San Francisco. They came in from the north two days ago. The names given to the police are Walter Davis, Edward Davis, R. C. Duncan, Henry Anderson, James Ryan, George Coleman and John Nordin. All are in the county jail.

RANCHER DIES AT GILROY.

GILROY, Dec. 11.—Edgar A. Holway, a prominent dairyman of Santa Clara county, is dead at the Gilroy private hospital, following an operation. He was ill but a few days and his death has cast a gloom over the community. He was a native of California, aged 46 years, and is survived by a widow and one daughter.

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**EXCITEMENT OF FIRE
KILLS AN EX-CHIEF**

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Aroused to a high pitch of excitement while watching the efforts of firemen to extinguish a dangerous midnight blaze in the apartment house where he lived, Samuel Best, 73 years old, an ex-battalion chief of the New York fire department, was stricken with heart failure last night and died. The aged ex-chief discovered the blaze, and it was through his activity in going among frightened tenants that a panic was prevented.

Here is a woman who speaks from personal knowledge and long experience, viz., Mrs. P. H. Brogan, of Wilson, Pa., who says: "I know from experience that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is far superior to any other. For cough there is nothing that excels it." For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Store.

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WAITER SENTENCED.
COLOGNE, Germany, Dec. 11.—A sentence of fifteen months in jail was imposed by the criminal court here today on a waiter named Friedrichs, who was convicted of extensive thefts of travelers' checks and baggage from American tourists here as well as in London, Paris and Antwerp.

ROBBED BY ROOMMATE.
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—William Goodney, who lives at the naval Y. M. C. A., 34 Market street, was robbed by a young man whom he allowed to share his room last night. On awakening this morning he found his companion missing, and with him \$11 which he had had in his trousers pockets.

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RETURNING HOME**

San Francisco Prelate Leaves
Rome With Suite of Car-
dinal Farley.

ROME, Dec. 11.—The suites of the new American cardinals have begun to disperse, seven of these attached to Cardinal Farley having left today for Cherbourg. They will sail from that port on board the Kron Princessen Cecilie on January 15. Monsignor Dennis O'Connell, auxiliary bishop of San Francisco, will leave Europe on the same steamer, embarking from Bremen.

CYCLIST RISKS LIFE

New York—Jim Zanora, one of the best known trick bicycle riders in the United States, risks his life at every public appearance and knows how necessary it is for him to have a steady nerve and unflinching strength. The slightest weakness might cost him his life, or injure him severely, and this letter from him is of great interest on that account. He says: "I do trick bicycle riding as a professional and work hard, and so I was always tired and weak. I got so down, but since using three bottles of Vinol I feel fine again. I have recommended Vinol to others, and they, too, are using it with good results." Your strength is just as valuable to you, and we want to say to you that there is nothing so good as Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy without oil, for making weak and worn-out people robust, rugged and well. It is good for children and old people, too, and we give your money back unless Vinol does all we claim. The Owl Drug Co., Oakland, Cal.

**WASHINGTON MAN MAY
HAVE BEEN MURDERED**

HOOD RIVER, Ore., Dec. 11.—The dead body of what was supposed to be a tramp, was found near here in the brush along the railroad tracks, is very likely that of W. G. Donwoodie, of Washington, D. C., who was last seen here September 11 last, in the opinion of Kepper of hotel where Donwoodie stayed. That the dead man was no tramp was disclosed by examination of the garments, which are of fine texture. Donwoodie arrived here from Portland the night of September 10. On the morning of September 11 he left the hotel without settling his account or taking his luggage, and has not been seen since. The coroner says that the body found has been dead at least a month, perhaps longer.

ATTACKED AND ROBBED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—While walking along Folsom street, near Beale, last night, Hugh Forbes was held-up by three men, who attacked him from behind and robbed him of \$10. He could give no description of the thieves.

HEART--TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN--HOME



THE third dance of a series which is being given by a number of the members of the Claremont Club will be held this Saturday night at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Burdett on Plaza Drive in Claremont Park.

The dance will be elaborately appointed and will be followed by a supper.

Among well known folks planning the affair are: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Harriet Brackenridge, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rieley, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. O'Brien, Miss Taylor.

An interesting event of December 30 will be the opening of the picturesque quarters of the Claremont Club.

MUSICAL RECEPTION.

Mrs. Thomas O'Connor and Miss Isabelle and Miss Bess O'Connor have asked a large number of guests for Wednesday afternoon, December 20, when they will give the first of a series of musical receptions which promises unusual pleasure. Assisting them in receiving their guests will be Miss Florence Locke, one of the most gifted society girls of Berkeley, who has widespread admiration during the suffrage campaign by her artistic dramatic readings and her speeches for the suffrage cause. The Lockes have spent much of their time abroad and Miss Locke has studied under the best teachers in England. She possesses much personal charm.

BRIDGE TEA TOMORROW.

Mrs. Willard Merrill has sent out cards for tomorrow afternoon, when she will give a bridge tea for Mrs. F. Ambrose, who will be remembered as Miss Grace Foulds. Mrs. Merrill will entertain at her home in North Berkeley and will be assisted in receiving by a few of her nearest friends.

INFORMAL BRIDGE PARTIES.

Mrs. Alexander H. Marx has been giving a series of informal bridge parties at her Chetwood street home, all the more enjoyable for their informality. The last one was given on Thursday afternoon, and there will be one more of the series. Twenty guests have been bidden to share Mrs. Marx's hospitality each time.

DRAMATIC SKIT.

The members of the dramatic club at the Unitarian Church will present "The Weaker Sex," a comedy of love and politics, Tuesday and Saturday evenings in Wendell Hall, adjoining the church. Miss Gertrude Chappelle is to have a leading part in the comedy and is one of the talented members of the club. Among others who will take part are Miss Yehna Hardy, Miss Gertrude Burt, Miss Lillian Gard, Miss Marguerite McFadden, Miss Grace Cockrill, Miss Ethel Olson, Elmar Ross, Roland Springer, Paul Shuey, Howard Renwick, Wells Whitmore, Ray Roemer, W. H. Morehouse and Fred Thomas.

HOSTESS TO BRIDE-ELECT.

Mrs. Morrie Robertson was a hostess on Saturday in honor of Miss Lisa Doty, Friday afternoon, when literary and musical exercises will constitute the closing program.

MOVE ACROSS THE BAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Page Jr., who have lived in Alameda for the last few years, have moved to San Francisco, where they will make their future home.

COMPLIMENTARY AFTERNOON.

Claiming Miss Marian Stone as an honor guest, Miss Lillian Van Voorst has sent out cards for Wednesday afternoon, December 13. Miss Stone is an Oakland girl, who, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.



MRS. MORRIE ROBERTSON, who gave a prettily arranged complimentary miscellaneous shower on Saturday afternoon.

Edgar Stone, and sister, Miss Harriet Stone, is spending the winter across the bay. The Misses Stone have contributed in generous measure to the social activities of the younger set. They frequently entertain the younger set from both sides of the bay.

SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY.

Thursday is the day for two of the important social events of the month, the Garthwaite tea and the reception to be given by Mrs. William G. Henshaw. Miss Edith Gere Kelley will be the honored guest for the first affair, while Mrs. Tyler Henshaw is to be the guest of honor at the latter.

Local society in large numbers will attend both functions.

TO TOUR COUNTRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Louis Woolley left yesterday for a tour of the East and of the Southern states. On their return the Woolleys will formally christen their handsome new home on Bay avenue on Boulevard Heights.

LOUIS ABER WEDS.

Miss Ada L. Hoesley yesterday morning became the bride of Louis Aber, manager of the Hotel Crellin, and member of the progress and prosperity committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

Rev. William Day Simonds, pastor of the Oakland Unitarian church and a friend of the bridegroom, was the officiating clergyman.

The bride, who is a daughter of Charles Hoesley, a well-known vineyardist of Contra Costa county, has been the head operating nurse of the Pablos Hospital of this city. The couple are at present on their honeymoon. Both have many friends here.

FRIDAY NIGHT DANCE.

On Friday night was held the last ball of the Sans Souci Club at Wilkens hall. Among those present were: Elizabeth, Miss Lolita Charles, Miss Elizabeth, Miss Evelyn Hall, Miss Emily Hall, Miss Louise Ives, Miss Ella Demarest, Miss Beatrice Raffin, Miss Lillian Berry, Miss Doris Wilson, Miss Gladys Wilson, Miss Pearl Macdougall, Miss Katherine McKee, Miss Gertrude Moore, Miss Beatrice Hunter, Miss Rose Harris, Miss Lillian Jefferys, Miss Lore Weber, Miss

Sue Schultz, Miss Goldie Hulburd, Miss Helen Schmidt, Miss Irma Wright, Miss Margaret Slater, Oliver Fausch, Noble Watts, Ted Hall, Claude Moss, Ralph Norton, Joseph McFarland, Clarence Sutcliffe, Robert Tryner, Harold Macdougall, Thomas Lopez, Virginia Fausch, Norman Siler, Sheldon Allen, Leo Schute, Charles Fender, Harold Nanniel, Rene Rageland, Stanton Sherman, Fred Goldman, Edward Wilson, Grant Sollars, Keith Johnson.

AT CARDS TONIGHT.

Mrs. Al Kendall will entertain at cards this evening the members of a local card club, which includes: Dr. and Mrs. W. Kergan, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Leber, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. James Naismith, Mr. and Mrs. Lin Church, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lauer.

WILL GO EAST.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Walsh and Mrs. Maurice Walsh will spend the late winter on the Atlantic coast, giving much time to New York.

Mrs. William Barbour and Miss Anna Barbour are leaving also for the East to spend the holidays with friends.

GIVES READING.

Mrs. George W. Haight of Berkeley, who reads Browning delightfully, gave a reading at the meeting of the Mills college alumnae recently. Mrs. Haight is a well known club and society woman.

JOURNEY TO SOUTH.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Coghill and Mrs. John Stanley are planning to go south to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Treanor (Bessie Coghill).

WILL RETURN HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. David Oliphant and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker are at present abroad, but are turning their faces homeward. Both young matrons were brides of the spring.

BURCHES IN PARIS.

Mrs. Burch and Miss Beryl Burch will remain in Paris for the holidays, having recently completed a tour of the British Isles.

Miss Eliza McMullin will spend much time in Paris later in the year.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS

BLOODY MANTLE HIDES SOCIETY SCANDAL

Police Believe Spokane Woman Was Murdered to Silence Her Tongue.

SPOKANE, Dec. 11.—The whole detective force is working on the case of Anna Webber, aged 22, found dead on the path leading to her home on the river bank Friday morning. The theory is that she was murdered because she knew too much regarding a society scandal.

The girl's uncle says that she was warned a few days ago to "keep still or suffer the consequences," after she is alleged to have seen a former mistress, a wealthy society woman, with an army officer.

It has been discovered that a call for the girl to assist at a society party in the home of J. A. Finch, a Spokane millionaire, was not genuine. The police have abandoned the theory of murder for robbery, because her money was un-molested, also because a knife, not a highwayman's weapon, was driven through her head.

Caruso Pays \$10,000

MILAN, Dec. 11.—Mlle. Gamelli, the former fiancée of Enrico Caruso, the famous tenor, has been acquitted here Saturday on the charge of slandering the singer and his lawyer, Signor Cola. It is understood that Caruso has settled the woman's breach of promise suit by paying her \$10,000 lire, or about \$10,000.

Must Do It?

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 11.—"The time is coming, and coming fast, when both the Democratic and Republican parties will take up the cause of woman suffrage," Dr. R. H. Jesse, former president of the University of Missouri, declared here Saturday before the Columbia Extension society.

Remarking that he was not personally concerned one way or the other, he said: "There is a certain room for objection on the grounds on which the opposition to the movement are making their arguments. The brainy men of the country are nearly ready to consider the great question."

Sues for Death

UKIAH, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Marie Sophia Koskela has brought suit for \$20,000 damages for the death of her husband, against the L. E. White Lumber company. Mrs. Koskela, who employed at the Albion wharf, was struck on the head by a heavy block on one of the cables used in loading lumber on vessels. He was almost instantly killed. The fatality occurred last January.

Aged Woman Slain

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., Dec. 11.—Neighbors found the body of Mrs. Bessie Gray, 70 years old, in the ruins of her home near Waldorf, Kas., yesterday after fire had destroyed the building. It is believed a burglar murdered her and then set fire to the house.

Kisses at 50 Cents

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Dec. 11.—That fifty cents a piece is the price for kisses is the decision by inference of the jury which declined to award Mrs. Margaret Bender, a pretty young widow, \$20,000 in her suit against William T. Maget, a wealthy farmer. The jury was made up almost entirely of young men.

Mrs. Bender, who is 20 years old, alleged that Maget, aged 60, seized her and forcibly kissed her several times. Maget made no denial, but said that upon Mrs. Bender's demand he paid spot cash for them. There were seven kisses and he paid her, he said, \$3.50, proffering two two dollar bills and getting 50 cents in change.

"Your bill was \$3.50. Why didn't you let him have another kiss and make it even change?" asked Maget's attorney. "I never saw any two dollar bills and absolutely no money changed hands," the young woman answered.

Maget on the stand declared he had paid too much for the kisses and had afterward demanded his money back.

When a girl will wear sensible shoes it's a sign she's engaged to a man she doesn't intend to marry.—New York Press.

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The Needs of the Body

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By LILLIAN RUSSELL

THERE are a number of things which the body needs from birth until death. We must have fresh air to breathe, hygienic food to eat, plenty of water in which to bathe ourselves outside and in, clothing to protect the body from cold and heat; work, which will keep its members in more or less constant exercise; recreation, which will set a different set of muscles and brain cells into action; and rest, which is quite as necessary as work.

There are few people who do not neglect one or more of these important needs of the body. There is so much said about deep breathing nowadays that one would think that every one would be breathing properly, and yet we know that tuberculosis, the dread right hand of death, makes impure air breathed into only a part of one's lungs its most efficient aid.

For any one who is much indoors deep breathing should be practiced daily until it becomes a habit. These exercises, however, should be taken in pure air outdoors or before an open window.

Quite as much neglected as the pure air of heaven is hygienic diet. Lately there has been a great deal said of simple living, which in most cases means any particular food fad which the writer happened to espouse at the time. Well cooked food without rich sauces and of pleasing variety is necessary, not only to a beautiful body, but a lovely mind. A woman who is starving, either from necessity or choice, is a pitiable looking object and an object of commiseration to her friends.

Unless a woman bathes her entire body daily and drinks at least two quarts of water she cannot keep herself clean, and this is one of the needs of the body that is perhaps more neglected than any other. The lack of daily baths is noticeable to the olfactory nerves when one enters any place crowded with women, and dry skin and lack luster eyes show the neglect of pure water as a beverage.

Most of us think we dress more or less tastefully, but instead we dress in the fashion. If we would realize that the dress should be suitable to "the time, the place and the girl!" we would be more sanely beautiful, as well as much more healthy.

Work—each one must have in this world to be happy. It is the great panacea for discontent, as well as one of the greatest beautifiers known. I have seldom known a woman who had congenial work who was not good looking. But one must have recreation as well as work, and this must be something which appeals to the mind as well as the body. We all know that the body needs rest, and there is nothing more health-giving than sleep. This is another of the important things which is often neglected.

I met a woman the other day who was naturally pretty, and she told me she had been up every night for the last month until after 2 o'clock. Her face was drawn and her eyes dull; she was fast losing every bit of beauty she possessed, and her nerves were at such a tension that she was not happy unless they were a-jangle with constant excitement. This woman was one of the class you see about the cafes and hotels. Her husband is always with her, but he looks bored and unhappy and I am sure that their married life is a failure. In her wild search for pleasure she is neglecting one of her great bodily needs, and this neglect will always tell.

Remember: Nature will be revenged for every slight, no matter how small, that is put upon her.

Lillian Russell



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H. H.—I cannot tell you anything about the cream you mentioned, as I have never heard of it before.

McG.—Try peroxide of hydrogen three or four times a day. If possible try electrical treatments, but be sure and have a professional operator. If the scar is deep consult a physician, as it does not do to tamper with such things ignorantly.

G. R. W.—Do not under any consideration tamper with moles. The safest way of removing them is by the electric needle. However, if the moles project they can be removed by tying a silk thread as near the root as possible. This stops the nourishment and in a few days the mole will turn black and drop off, leaving no scar. I am interested to know that you are so interested in my talks.

C.—The way to reduce your knuckles is to immerse your hands nightly in warm olive oil, keeping them in for several minutes. Then take the knuckle to be reduced between the thumb and forefinger, placing the forefinger over the protruberance and press with a rotary motion for about a minute. Drink a great deal of distilled water, and, above all, do not be too critical of slight imperfection. Forget yourself and by interesting yourself in others make yourself so pleasing that they will not stop to look at the slight enlargement of the tip of your second finger on your right hand.

GREAT STANFORD ORGAN BREAKS LONG SILENCE

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Dec. 11.—Breaking the long silence after almost six years, the gigantic Stanford Memorial church organ yesterday responded to the touch of its old master, Dr. B. C. Blodgett, in a special Christmas service held in the assembly hall. Over two thousand persons, jamming the auditorium to overflowing, greeted the reappearance of the well-known organist before the keys and stops of the famous instrument. Rev. D. Charles Gardner delivered the sermon, which took the place of the usual Sunday morning services in the chapel.

QUESTS MADE BY DRYDEN. NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—It is stated that the will of the late John F. Dryden, former United States Senator and president of the Prudential Insurance Company, aside from two be-

quests of \$10,000 each to a nephew and niece, leaves the entire estate of about \$15,000,000 to Senator Dryden's widow and their two children, Forest F. Dryden and Mrs. Susie Kuter.

BUNKER RECEIVES COMMISSION. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—William M. Bunker yesterday received his commission to represent the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce at the American Civic Association convention here this week.

OAKLAND'S BOYS AND GIRLS

PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE CLOSED FOR HOLIDAYS

Three weeks' vacation for the children of the public schools of this city commenced today. According to the announcement made by the Oakland Board of Education, the institutions of learning will open January 2, when hundreds of boys and girls will register in the high schools and grammar schools.

Many of the private schools of this community will close a day or two before Christmas. The Horton school will close December 23 and will not open until January 15, when the students will occupy a new building at the corner of Palm avenue and Perkins street.

The students of the school of Piedmont will be dismissed for three weeks next Friday afternoon, when literary and musical exercises will constitute the closing program.

SANTA TO VISIT HORSES. KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 11.—If Dobbin's owner hangs up his nosebag for him, the Kansas City Humane Society will see that Santa fills it with oats on Christmas morning. The society is planning to furnish Christmas treats for all horses in the city whose owners are too poor to feed them properly.

CLEVER OAKLAND GIRL DANCES AT THE DOLL SHOW



ELEANOR SCOTT.

Hosts of children attended the annual doll show given by a company of philanthropic women for the benefit of the West Oakland Home. One of the features of the entertainment conducted during the exhibition of dolls was the dancing by Eleanor Scott and pupils of Miss Hilma Engler.

Last Saturday evening everything on the tables of the doll show was sold. The Angora cat, which was one of the last things to be raffled, created much fun.

'FINER SHADES OF HONOR' TO BE GIVEN

"The Finer Shades of Honor," a play in one act, will be presented by the Sunday-school pupils of the First Hebrew Congregation, Sunday afternoon, December 17, in celebration of the Hannukkah festival. The rehearsals for the performance have been directed by Miss Danielwitz and Mrs. M. Friedlander. Several months ago the children learned their parts, and it is believed that they are already letter-perfect in the respective characters.

The cast follows:
Faith Garden, belle of school.....
.....Esther Harris
Eudora Jenks, plaintive.....Sophie Goldberg
Donald Thorne, favorite of the school.....
.....Alfred Solomon
Jack Hutchinson, Don's chum.....
.....Sam Glickbard
Dick Larkin, football captain.....Willie Jones
Dr. Andrews, the principal.....
.....Sanford Kornfeld
at the closing session, which was well attended. The imported dolls of all sizes and descriptions were all disposed of and the success was gratifying to the directors and members of the West Oakland Home.

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SCHEME TO NOMINATE ROOSEVELT DISCOVERED

HENCHMEN BOOSTING COLONEL

Members of Republican National Committee Sounded on T. R.'s Chances

Taft Adherents Well Entrenched and Ranks of G. O. P. Are Harmonious

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—All attempts to disguise the fact that a concerted movement is on foot looking to the nomination of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt as the Republican candidate for President in 1912 were apparently dropped today when it became known that members of the national committee were being sounded as to the view of the feasibility of "forcing" the nomination of the former President.

Postmaster-General Hitchcock, accompanied by Acting Chairman Hill and Secretary Hayward of the national committee, went to the White House this afternoon and had a conference with Secretary Hughes. It is said that Hughes had already agreed with Hitchcock as to the personnel of a subcommittee and that their list did not include Colonel New.

ROOSEVELT MAN NAMED.

It was said that the three names in the state were those of Hill, Vice-Rosewater of Nebraska and Cecil Lyon of Texas, the latter an intimate friend of Colonel Roosevelt.

Latecomers among members of the committee among the members of the Republican national committee, who arrived here today for the meeting tomorrow, found that the program of procedure practically had been agreed and apparently the only possibility of friction would be a transposition of the factional difficulties in Ohio to the national committee.

Leading Ohio Republicans continued in conference in an effort to bring about a semblance of harmony. The chief difference is over the method of selecting delegates to the Republican national convention.

SPLIT ON HARMONY.

Walter Brown, chairman of the state committee, and Arthur I. Verry, the national committeeman, were in conference in the late night. Brown, who recently came out in opposition to President Taft, favors a Presidential preference primary, while Verry, the Taft manager in the state, favors the selection of delegates by the state convention, as usual.

There appeared to be little possibility of disarranging the program for tomorrow's meeting. This includes the selection of delegates to the convention city and fixing the time as the last week in June.

Former Governor John J. Hill of Maine, who has been acting chairman since the resignation of Postmaster-General Hitchcock, but is elected chairman, but will serve only until the convention nominates, when a man agreeable to the Presidential candidate will be elected by the newly-constituted committee.

Colonel Harry S. New of Indiana is to head the sub-committee of five which will make arrangements for the convention, probably including the selection of temporary and permanent chairmen, including the "keynote" orator.

ABIDE BY STATES.

The committee will discuss Presidential primaries at some length, but will declare that the subject is one for the disposition of the states. The committee will take the ground that it has no right to dictate to a state the method of selecting its representatives in the convention and will adopt a resolution that delegates may be elected in the manner prescribed by law in the various states. So far six states have adopted the primary system.

Southern members of the national committee expected to meet today formally to protest against a reduction in the representation of the south. The committee will leave this matter for the next convention to deal with. It will not undertake to put federal officeholders as delegates, but it is said the southern members will on endeavor to keep officeholders off the delegation as far as possible.

President Taft will entertain the members of the committee at dinner at the White House tonight.

CASEY JONES MISSING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Casey Jones, a railroad man, who arrived here two weeks ago from Seattle, and who had considerable money with him, is reported missing. Friends appeared in police headquarters this morning and requested aid in a search for him.

GIFT SUGGESTIONS

Silk Petticoats, \$ 2.95 to \$ 25.00
Pretty Waists, \$ 1.50 to \$ 25.00
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FAMOUS SLEUTH HERE WITH PRISONER
'BARNEY' FLOOD TAKING FUGITIVE EAST

DETECTIVE LIEUTENANT BERNARD A. FLOOD of New York City, who is now on his way east with a prisoner.

New York Detective Often Sent to Ends of the Earth to Capture Criminals

Detective Lieutenant Bernard A. Flood, of New York, attached to the office of District Attorney Charles Whitman, arrived in Oakland yesterday en route to Gotham with Joseph Fernald, a fugitive from justice. Flood, who is familiarly known to detectives throughout the country as "Barney," has been visiting his friend, Sheriff Frank Barnett, during his stay here. He and his prisoner left for New York this morning.

Flood has been connected with the New York district attorney's office for the last ten years, under District Attorneys Joseph Philbin, William Travers Jerome, and the present attorney, Whitman. His specialty is running down fugitive criminals. Among the sensational cases with which he has been connected are those of Harry Thaw, Patrick Kennedy and "Count" Henry Phelan, the latter being ended just previous to his present trip.

ON CASE WHICH HAS MONTHS.

In the case which has just been brought to a successful end, with Flood's departure for New York, the office has been on the trail of his prisoner, Fernald, for the past three months. Fernald, on September 14, walked off with \$5000 in cash and bonds from the National Park Bank, 214 Broadway, fleeing with his booty to Canada. He was traced through Montreal, Winnipeg, British Columbia, and

Market Street Is Visited by Threatening and Spectacular Blaze.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Fire that effectively destroyed the new of east-story shacks on Crocker property at Market and Ecker streets broke out at 9:30 o'clock last night, and for a time raged fiercely enough to cause apprehension for the safety of the substantial buildings on either side. The blaze was spectacular one, and completely razed the flimsy wooden structure, but the entire damage probably will not exceed \$5000.

The building was occupied by six small stores, and the stock in all of these was a total loss, inasmuch as all insurance policies in the place were canceled shortly after a previous fire, about eight months ago. At that time the rear portion of the structure was destroyed, and the owners having simply patched up the front enough to enable them to do business on Market street.

The origin of the blaze is uncertain, the night watchman declaring that it seemed to spring from nearly all parts of the shack at once.

Just to the west of the burning shacks on the corner of Ecker and Market streets, stands the new three-story D. N. & E. Walter building, which has remained vacant since its erection with the exception of the ground floor store at 633 Market street. The only damage done the Walter building was on the side, facing the fire on Ecker street, where a number of windows were broken because

of the intense heat, the window casings taking fire also.

The destroyed shacks ran from Market street through to Stevenson street, endangering the property of concerns located immediately in the rear of the blaze. Several window casings and windows in the brick building on the south-east corner of Ecker and Stevenson gave way to the heat, but otherwise no damage was done.

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Mrs. Mary Jones, Found With Smoking Revolver, Tells Suspicious Story.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Mary Jones of 224 1/2 Greenwich street, the wife of a vaudeville performer, was arrested by Officer J. C. Van in front of her home early this morning with a smoking revolver in her hand. The officer had been attracted by the sound of pistol shots fired from the residence. Jones with the weapon and George Lewis is fleeing from the scene.

Lewis was taken into custody and the woman explained that she had been following her husband and that she had merely fired into the air to attract attention and summon aid. As near as could be learned from her she was on her way home when she claims Lewis grabbed hold of her and tried to get her to accompany him, following her up the stairs to her residence.

She obtained a revolver and, at sight of it, he fled.

Policeman Van, believing the case a suspicious one, arrested her on a charge of assault to murder, and together with Lewis, he took her to the North End station. Lewis was booked for battery.

ABER WEDS GIRL WHO NURSED HIM

Young Hotel Man Falls Victim to Charms of Pretty Hospital Attache.

Two years ago, Miss Ada Hooley nursed Louis Aber, proprietor of the Hotel Crellin, through a serious illness at Fabiola hospital. Yesterday the couple were married by the Rev. William Day Simonds, of the First Unitarian church, the members of both families being the sole witnesses to the ceremony.

After receiving the congratulations of their friends, the couple departed on their honeymoon last night. On their return, married by the Rev. William Day Simonds, of the First Unitarian church, the members of both families being the sole witnesses to the ceremony.

Aber is known as the youngest hotel keeper in the country having taken charge of the hotel three years ago when he was but 20 years of age. The bride is a graduate of Fabiola hospital.

WOULD-BE BURGLAR GETS SEVEN-YEAR TERM

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—George Murphy, who pleaded guilty to a charge of assault with intent to commit robbery, was sentenced by Superior Judge Dunne this morning to serve seven years in San Quentin.

On November 3 Murphy attacked and held up James O'Donnell, but was unsuccessful in robbing him.

BURGLAR TAKES NOTHING.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—The police are investigating the burglary of the home of John McCabe of 611 Ashbury, which occurred some time yesterday. The intruders entered by means of a light wall, ransacked the building from cellar to garret, but apparently took nothing, although there were many articles of value in the house.

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HYDE MURDER CASE JUROR VANISHES

Put's Dummy in Bed and Climbs Through Transom; Trial at a Standstill.

Swarm of Deputies in Pursuit; Prosecutor to Investigate; Mistrial May Result.

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 11.—Undoing the work of weeks of court procedure and bringing to a standstill the second trial of Dr. B. Clarke Hyde for the murder of Colonel Thomas H. Swope, Harry Waldron, a juror in the case, broke out of his room in a hotel here early today, eluded two deputy marshals set to guard the jurors, and escaped.

The first hint of the juror's escape came from T. Holloway and Frank Jasper, deputy marshals, who found the transom torn away from the door of the room Waldron had occupied. The deputies carried the keys to all the rooms occupied by the jury. A force of deputies was sent immediately in pursuit.

STATE TO INVESTIGATE.

When the news of Waldron's disappearance was carried to the courtroom just before time for court to convene, attorneys for both sides immediately called a conference to determine the effect of the incident on the case. Prosecutor Conkling said the State would at once start an investigation to determine whether Waldron had been induced to escape. Attorney Walsh for the defense said he would ask that jurors be appointed to take charge of the jury until Waldron could be found. Asked as to whether the matter would result in a mistrial, Judge Forrester said that would depend upon Waldron's course during his period of liberty should he be captured.

DOMESTIC TROUBLE.

Domestic trouble is said to have caused Waldron to grow restless under confinement as a juror. He owned and conducted a dairy farm on the outskirts of the city. On November 23 Waldron's sudden illness caused an adjournment of court. Waldron's indisposition was said to be due to worry over home affairs.

To keep his roommate and fellow juror, G. W. Palmer, from upsetting his plans Waldron constructed a dummy man of bed quilts and slipped it into his place in the bed. He then removed a staple from the transom of the door and climbed over. When Palmer arose this morning he nudged his dummy bedfellow to arouse him and then spread the alarm.

Judge Forrester announced this afternoon that if Waldron is not found by tomorrow night he would discharge the entire jury.

'Jubilee Plunger' Dies After Exciting Career

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Ernest Benson, known to sporting men throughout the world as the "jubilee plunger," is dead in London, according to advices received here. Benson won fame in 1887 by gambling exploits and wrote a book recounting them.

A. L. De Arman Asks Big Sum From Livermore Sanitarium.

A. L. De Arman's suit against the Livermore Sanitarium and Dr. John W. Robinson, its owner, for \$71,000 damages for personal injuries he is alleged to have sustained at the retreat June 13, 1909, while a patient, went to trial before Judge James D. Murphy, of Mono county today, sitting in the auxiliary department of the superior court. De Arman was placed in the sanitarium by David De Arman, his father, the day before the accident.

He was out of his head and violent and had to be strapped to the bed in a straight jacket and attended by a special nurse. While the latter was away from her post for a few minutes the next day, De Arman wiggled out of the straps that held him and wandered out of the room he occupied on the second floor of the institution, into the hallway, still wearing his straight-jacket. Then he walked out of an unguarded door, it is alleged, and to the ground below, a distance of about eighteen feet.

His left arm was broken in four places, both of his wrists were dislocated, his spinal column and hip dislocated and he sustained internal injuries, it is alleged, which paralyzed the lower organs of his body.

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Johnny Frayne Willing to Meet Freddie Welsh; Knockout Brown Begins Training

JOHNNY FRAYNE WANTS TO SWAP PUNCHES WITH WELSH

Britisher Can Meet Local Boy in Roped Arena for O'Day if He Is Really Anxious.

Hope springs eternal. While all is not rosy with the fight promoters over the bay there is just a possibility that the Metropolitan club will stage a couple of bouts before this month is out.

Tom O'Day head of the organization, has offered Hayes, Mandot, Klause, Houch and a dozen others a chance to pick up some New Year's coin as well as fame and glory and all of them side-step the issue one way or the other.

Even with all his discouragement O'Day is not a quitter and passed it along the line last night that he might match Johnny Frayne and some good lightweight for a scrap on the 29th.

When Frayne's manager, Al White, was approached on the subject he quickly agreed to meet anybody O'Day might pick and told Tom that the other fellows could do all the talking and what- ever he said would be Johnny's. Surely this was a mighty fair proposition and none of those fame and dollar seeking lightweight scoundrels sidestep the offer unless they have a good reason.

With Frayne willing and anxious to step into the ring and ready and willing to fight, surely some of these fellows ought to take him up.

CHANCE FOR GROVER HAYES.

This boy Grover Hayes who says he is willing to fight anybody his weight in the world and who tells us he is looking for a match, can't very well find any fault with the terms of Frayne. The chances are, too, that Frayne will shape them up when O'Day wires them to him.

At that if Hayes won't come, what is the matter with Freddie Welsh, taking on the local boy. Back in 1909 in New York city, Johnny gave Freddie the time of his life in a ten round bout and Freddie came out a victor. He was in shape to stave off the Californian. Eastern critics who saw the amill say that Johnny had the Englishman going the time and but for his own weakness would have copped the Pontypriid boy.

Here's the chance now for Freddie to show the fans hereabouts that he can still fight and that his recent bout at Los Angeles with Willie Ritchie was far from being the last he has.

BROWN DOES SOME LIGHT WORK.

George (Knockout) Brown, the Chicago Greek, who is billed to battle with Fritz Holland next week, donned the gym bags at Al White's place yesterday afternoon before a good sized crowd of fight fans. Being still a little stiff from his trip over the hills, he did not put a whole lot of hard work, merely boxing two rounds with Dave Mills. He also went through a short session of rope skipping and leg punching.

Dave Crockett, Al White and several other judges of scrappers took a peep at the Chicago man and all were of the opinion that he has a mighty nasty kick stowed away in either hand. Brown has a tendency to wade right into the fray and don't seem to want to let up on matter how hard the other fellow might force him.

Of course, it is a bit early to get a line on the opponent of Holland but this will come about before the week is out for Brown promises to cut loose and show us just what he has in his fighting calber.

EDDIE DENNIS COMES HOME TO FIGHT.

Next Friday night, the bay Frank Shuler will stage a series of four round bouts. Among the entries is Eddie Dennis, who has just returned from the east and for a successful career there.

Dennis is a great little boxer and a hard hitter. He is also game and can take the route of the law. He is showing this when he used to perform around here a year ago, and according to reports, he has improved 100 per cent since then. He is a very much interested in Eddie and he will come in for a great hand when he enters the ring on Friday evening.

In label, Dennis meets a dangerous opponent. Unfortunately for himself, he has been going out on his back, tackling lightweights for the last few years. He is really a featherweight, though, at that he weighed some of the cracks in the pound division. He is training hard for this mixup and will be fit to go four hurricane rounds.

Jack Geyer, a Denver white hope who recently fought Carl Morris off his feet in New York, has signed to take on Charley Horn, the most likely looking big fellow in the local ranks.

Johnny McCarthy also will be back after a layoff of several months. His opponent is that tough nut, Al Sears, who beat Willie Purcell in a 10 round bout on Thanksgiving afternoon. This will be a fight worth going miles to see for both boys are real tough away slugs who keep wading in all the time and are ever willing to take a chance.

There are several other entries on the card, chief among them being the one between Ike Cohen and Stanley Dean, a new middleweight from Texas, said to be a wonder. The others are as follows: Percy Cove vs. Frankie Harris, Bill Sloane vs. Walter Krichner and Teddy Harvey vs. Hans Wagner.

INDIAN TO COMPETE IN MARATHON.

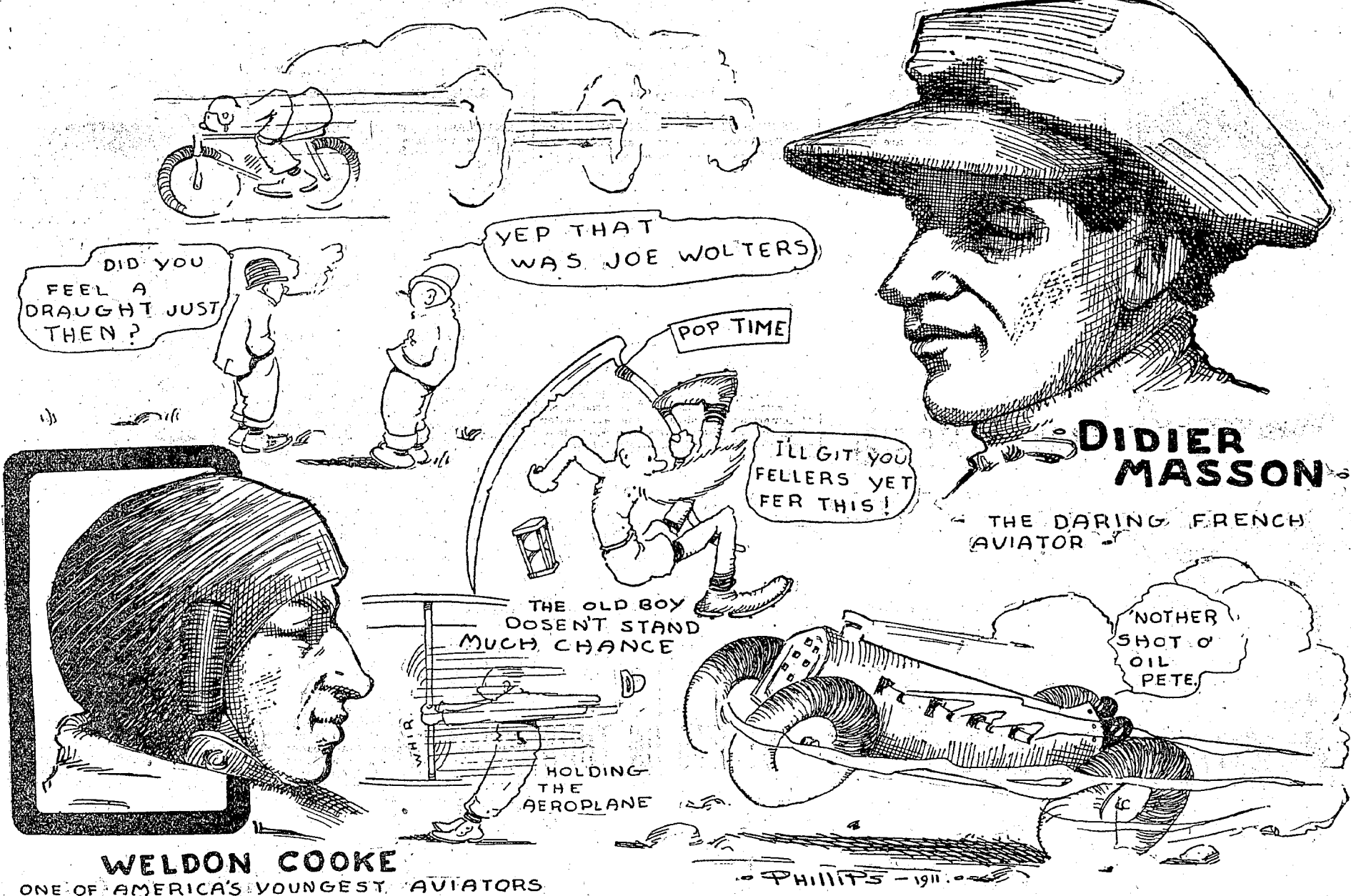
HALIFAX, N. S., Dec. 11.—Tom Longboat, the Indian runner of Toronto, and Fred Cameron, of Amherst, will reach Liverpool this week on the steamer Mermaid. They are enroute to Edinburgh to take part in the Powder Mill marathon for the championship of the world which will be held on January 2.

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OAKLAND CITY LEAGUE PLAYS FAST GAMES IN JIG TIME

Clever Youngsters Cavort on Diamond and Show Fans They Know the Game.

The Goodyears and Walkovers engaged in a sensational thirteen-inning battle in the Oakland City League yesterday afternoon before a good sized crowd of fight fans. Being still a little stiff from his trip over the hills, he did not put a whole lot of hard work, merely boxing two rounds with Dave Mills. He also went through a short session of rope skipping and leg punching.

In the opening struggle the Elmhursts defeated the John P. Snows by a 10-1 score. The winners punched four hits in the fifth inning, which scored their only runs. Arlet was in rare form and his opponents but three scattered hits.

The scores:
First game:
ELMHURST, AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.
Post, 1st 4 1 2 10 0 0
Jackson, 2d 4 1 1 10 0 0
Christensen, 3d 4 1 1 10 0 0
Arlet, 4th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Arlet, 5th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Adams, 6th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Ollie, 7th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Tofelstein, 8th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Totals 30 6 27 7 3

Second game:
JOHN P. SNOW, AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.
Blitz, 1st 4 1 1 10 0 0
Purdy, 2d 4 1 1 10 0 0
Volfram, 3d 4 1 1 10 0 0
Peterson, 4th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Fennell, 5th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Perrier, 6th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Kracke, 7th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Holtzman, 8th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Nelson, 9th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Totals 32 1 24 11 8

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Elmhurst 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4
Base hits 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4
Saves hits 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1
Base hits 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3
*Holstrom batted for Perrier in 9th.

SUMMARY.
Stolen bases—Jackson, Arlet, Peterson (2). Three base hits—Ollie. Two base hits—Post, Christensen, Arlet. Sacrifices—Post, Christensen, Arlet. Called balls—Off Arlet 1, off Peterson 4. Struck out—By Arlet 10, by Peterson 9. Hit by pitcher—By Peterson (2). Passed balls—Jackson 1. Wild pitches—Karlson 1. Time of game—1h 35m. Umpire—Baumgarten.

Second game:
GOODYEARS, AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.
Camp, 1st 4 1 1 10 0 0
Read, 2d 4 1 1 10 0 0
Chalmers, 3d 4 1 1 10 0 0
Wilkinson, 4th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Brook, 5th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Bankhead, 6th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Pezalla, 7th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Helson, 8th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Totals 43 2 39 15 2

QUINN'S WALKOVERS.
AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.
La Rue, 3b 4 1 1 10 0 0
Bostrum, ss 4 1 1 10 0 0
Moir, 1b 4 1 1 10 0 0
Elsen, 2b 4 1 1 10 0 0
Holstrom, 3b 4 1 1 10 0 0
Du Bois, 4th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Ables, 5th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Bostrum, 6th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Melkie, 7th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Dempsy, 8th 4 1 1 10 0 0
Totals 46 2 30 15 2

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.
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Amusing Sidelights Keep Crowds Happy

There were numerous side lights of a comic and amusing nature in connection with the international meet of aviators and the card of motorcycle events. And it added just enough color to the attraction of the day to send the spectators home in a jolly and satisfied mood. A shining light in this respect who was possessed of and passed out original wit between heats was Announcer Dixon. His information on the winners of one of the professional heats was rounded out with "And the guy with the white band around his sweater finished fifth."

Dixie Masson, on leaving the ground, stated that he would remain up "until ze motor, she run out of gasoline, then I come down quick, and he did.

The society belle who was to accompany Francis failed to put in an appearance. He immediately sent scouts out to gather in a number of the fair ones for a joy ride.

WISCONSIN HIGH 11 MAY COME WEST TO PLAY GAMES

FORT ATKINSON, Wis., Dec. 11.—Attracted by the good record of the Fort Atkinson high school eleven, claimant to the state high school belt, western football officials have made the local team alluring offers to go west, and unless the unforeseen happens the boys will journey to the Pacific coast during the Christmas recess.

The team has gone into training again and the trip, one of the most extensive ever undertaken by a Badger eleven, is practically assured. Spokane, Seattle, Portland and Los Angeles are the cities under consideration.

The present plan is to accept three of the invitations which have been extended by teams who are champions in their respective section. The team will, in all probability, stop at Spokane, en route to the coast. E. J. Kemp, a former Ripon college star, is in charge of high school athletes at Spokane. Portland or Seattle and Los Angeles will complete the tour.

GIANTS MUST HAVE A WONDER IN JOE BUES

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 15.—A splendidly built natural hitter is Third Baseman Bues of the Seattle Northwestern League team. He led the Northwestern League in hitting this season with a percentage of .346 and was high in fielding. Bues is five feet ten inches tall and weighs about 175 pounds. He bats left handed and hits with a high, stepping into the batter's box with a nice easy swing. He was the terror of pitchers in the Northwestern this year.

In fielding, Bues was conspicuous for quickness on his feet. He was fast and accurate on bunts and his throwing arm was strong.

Two base hit—Camp. Sacrifices—Camp, Peterson. Called balls—Off Heaton 1. Struck out—By Heaton 16, by Melkie 15. Hit by pitcher—Read. Double plays—Heaton to Camp to Chalmers. Passed balls—Ables (2). Time of game—2h 10m. Umpire—Baumgarten.

BOWLERS
We will have a Duck Pin turkey roll Thursday, Dec. 14. The highest score during the day gets turkey. Next week's game is scheduled for four rounds, as also are Kid Curley and Kid Fisher.

PLENTY OF EXCITING SPORT FOR SOCCER FOLLOWERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—A soccer game and a ring encounter combined was the bill of fare served up to the spectators at the Presidio athletic grounds yesterday afternoon, the Vampires defeating the San Francisco players by one goal to nothing. Lewis, the San Francisco shot-keeper, and McGregor, one of the line-men, entered into an argument as to whether the ball had been shot inside the post by Bernard in the second half, when the Vampires were in the lead, and Referee Traitor had to shoo the belligerents off the field.

INDEPENDENTS ARE WINNERS.
The Independents delighted their fans at Freeman's park yesterday by defeating the Pastimes by two goals to one and the victory was well deserved.

The first half was an uneasy one for Crowley, the manager, to keep his charge intact until a few minutes before half time when Billy Alken received the ball from the foot of Mattheson and banged it into the net.

After the interval, McGraw, the Independent goalkeeper, was called upon to save a stinger from McKernon which he handled very cleverly and Mattheson placed Alken again in possession at the other end. Not having a clear goal ahead of him the center passed to Salmain who shot the ball where it counted. Pike scored from the side line before the end and James missed two open goals.

The Barbarians were to match for the Burns players on the Croft grounds at Alameda yesterday as the Scotsmen found the net on seven occasions while the locals scored once and this goal was presented to them by the enemy. Donohue and the rest of the Burns were in a merry mood and the game was a merry one.

HANDBALL IS WELL ATTENDED AT THE WHEELMEN'S CLUB

The first competitive handball tournament of the winter season was played yesterday at the Wheelmen's Athletic Club, corner of Twenty-fourth and Oakland avenue.

The popularity of handball was well demonstrated and judging by the enthusiasm of the spectators, the game is far to take the place of baseball for the coming five months at least.

The games were all exciting. The first of the day was between O. C. and J. Lundie. McCues score was won by Lundie by a score of 21 to 16.

The next game was played between Lundie, the winner of the first game, and Harry Harvey. This game was won by Harvey, which left the lead in the tournament in favor of McCue's team.

The Olympic Club was then ably defended by Midge McCue, who won the tournament in a game played yesterday afternoon on the Park street grounds by a score of 6 to 1. Miller and Thompson, playing with the Rubber lads, rapped out two doubles apiece, scoring four men.

Tommy Burns' Boxer Shows He Is Not a Fighter

B R I S B A N E, Queensland, Dec. 11.—Sam McVey of California, heavyweight champion pugilist of Australia, defeated Jack Lester of Cle Elum, Washington, today in the eighth round. McVey had all the better of the fight, which was scheduled to go ten rounds. Lester showed plenty of pluck and took an extraordinary amount of punishment about the head and ribs.

HAYWARD IS TO HAVE HIGH CLASS RIFLE CLUB

HAYWARD, Dec. 11.—The Hayward Rifle and Revolver Club has been organized with 58 members enrolled, and will use the national guard ranges near here, which will be improved for the purpose.

An election of officers was held in N. hall, the meeting being addressed by Captain J. B. Borree on the aims of the movement.

The following officers were chosen: President, Dr. Cecil C. Rice; vice-president, J. W. Burns; secretary, Aaron Turner; treasurer, John A. Park; executive officer, S. N. King.

TEN PLAYERS REMAIN IN TENNIS GAMES OVER THE BAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—Ten players remained in the handicap tournament of the Golden Gate Tennis club when play was completed yesterday afternoon. The players were: Griffin and Fred Adams showed to the best advantage during the day, and if they continue to play in the same form next Sunday one of them should take the trophy. Mel Long defeated his brother, Herbert, yesterday in the final of the club's club championship tournament after five grueling sets, 3-6, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2, 6-2. Herbert took the opening two sets, but Mel came strong at the finish and took the final three.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

EMERYVILLE, Dec. 11.—The American Rubber Company nine won over the Tribune team in a game played yesterday afternoon on the Park street grounds by a score of 6 to 1. Miller and Thompson, playing with the Rubber lads, rapped out two doubles apiece, scoring four men.

The Pennant Bars were the long-enders on an 18-0 score in a game played against the Azores today. The pitching of Watson for the victors was a feature.

The score: R. H. E. Pennant Bars 18 0 0. Azores 0 0 0. Batteries—Watson and Scrammi Kenno and Chalmers.

BIG CHIEFS OF GAME BEGIN MEETING AT NEW YORK

National Commission Will Ratify Classification of Minor Leagues.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Three big days' doling in baseball opened today with meetings of the national commission and Eastern League. The new ranking of the American Association and the Eastern and Pacific Coast Leagues in the A. A. class comes before the commission for ratification. This ratification will necessitate several amendments in the existing agreements, many of them formal.

Indications that no radical action, if any at all, would be taken by the commission in regard to the rather formless charges made against the management of the New York Giants in connection with the sale of tickets for the world's championship series. While there has been much gossip the investigators say that would be difficult to collect evidence definite enough to support formal charges.

The two big leagues begin their deliberations tomorrow. The new compact between the major baseball leagues and the big minors, as drafted by the board of arbitration of the National Association of Minor Leagues, prevails that the minor leagues shall hereafter be rated under class AA. The Eastern League and the Pacific Coast League are the organizations which will get the new classification and will enjoy more privileges as to the drafting rights that they have had in the past.

There has been much talk in the past about the Eastern League and the American Association breaking away from organized baseball and establishing a new major league, but after this year's meeting it is expected that the new relations between the major and minor leagues will be so satisfactory that talk of baseball war will rest for all time.

ST. MARY'S TO ELECT CAPTAIN THIS WEEK

The annual banquet to St. Mary's Rugby football club will take place this week at the college refectory and the occasion will be marked by the selection of a captain to lead the Rugby players next season. St. Mary's, St. Francis, Blanco and Franchi are regarded as strong candidates for the position.

BLOOD & SKIN Diseases "606" Cured by

NO man or woman has a sign or symptom of blood disease to day whom I have treated my way—the real cure. I have a way of administering "606." Every sufferer of BLOOD POISON should take trouble to look back one year ago in 1908 Broadway, the newspapers of Oakland if they do not find me there. I have AFTER, plainly that I was the first and only physician in this city to administer "606." Any sufferer who investigates this matter will see for himself that I was the first to use "606," and have been using it every day since without failure or bad result.

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M'CREIDIE GIVES OUT PROBABLE LINE-UP OF BEAVERS

Portland Manager Signs Several New Men; He Is Done With Henderson.

PORTLAND, Dec. 11.—Walter McCreidie, manager of the Portland Beavers last night announced his prospective line-up for the 1912 team as follows:
Catcher—Walter Kuhn. Dan Kowley. Pitchers—Fred H. Harkness, Elmer Koestner, Fred Lamline, Ernest Greenwell, Ben Henderson, Jack Byrd, Sydney Hirsch and possibly Willie Mitchell of Cleveland, and several other men to be secured from Cleveland, St. Paul and other clubs.

First base—William H. Rapps, Walter Doane.
Second base—William K. Rodgers, Earl Sinnott.

Third base—William Lindsay, Harry Peters, W. Kibbie.
Shortstop—W. McDowell, F. Mathes, J. Bancroft, Bobby Coltrin.

Outfielders—Chester Chadbourne, Jack Straight, Base, Walter Kuhn, Dan Kowley, Utility—Jack Barry.

"I feel sure I have a better team than last season," said McCreidie. "I have several young players who were expected to be highly by baseball men in the east. In having two or more men for each position, I feel confident of being able to pick out the right one for the right place next March, and those who fail to be quite fast enough for the Coasters will secure berths with Nick Williams' team in the Northwestern league."

Shortstop is the position for which there will be the hardest battle. McDowell, Mathes, Bancroft and Coltrin are all fast youngsters, and they will all get a chance to see what they can do. While in the east, heard glowing reports of Bancroft and McDowell. Bancroft is built on the order of Joe Tinker, while McDowell is a little like Olson, both in personal appearance and action. I expect both these lads to prove first-class material for my club.

"I look for Bill Rodgers to be the star of the league next season. Despite the loss of Ryan and the trading of Krueger, I am sure my 1912 outfield will be a better one than last year's, for I shall have men in the patches who can throw as well as catch a ball, and, in addition, they will be able to hit. Straight, Barde, Fries, as well as the possibility that Doane and Lindsay will figure as gardeners insures me of replacing Ryan and Krueger."

In Catchers Kuhn and Howley, I can defy any team on the coast to expect to land at least three more pitchers through trades in my deal with Cleveland, and if I get the ones I am after the clubs will have to go some to head off my team."

McCreidie stated emphatically he is through with Ben Henderson.

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W. H. Donahue to Antone S. and Maria Avila (wife), 799 M. 97; beginning N 5.898 chains distant from SE corner conveyed to Manuel Joaquin de Azavedo per 17, 1890, 419 D. 65, thence N 1/2 S 1/2 E 1/4

2.83 chains to beginning, containing 5
acres, being portion said lands conveyed
vedo and portion plot 45 of Augustino
portion of rancho of El Valle de San
lot of 56 of survey of Black & Rose
C. K. Nichols to Wm. W. Bedard
July 1. Service to James W. Bedard
386 M. 142; lot 27 and N 3 feet lot 2
Camp of Fruitvale Boulevard tract
\$350.

LIENS.

G. R. Nichols v. E. Bentley and Lew
gett, materials for lots 23 and 24
34, map reestablishment of Smith sub
Mathews tract, Berkeley; \$10.
L. Nichols v. E. Bentley and Lewis
Lisette K. Hulse, street work; lots 24
and 30, map of Vernon tract, Brookly
\$10.
Same v. G. A. Bailey, lots 1 and 2 and
half lot 64, amended map Rhoda tract,
Berkeley; \$10.
Same v. D. McMullen and J. C. Len
55, map addressed; \$25.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Robert Adair to John Henington—Hot
restaurant and saloon business known as A
Hotel is town of Alvarado. Sale Dec
1911.

ASSIGNMENT DEED OF TRUST

Lizzie M. Cook to DeVer McLane—
residence property in Alvarado, known
to John C. Scott and Charles Beaumont
res), 1907 D. 363; & 4 feet lot 27 and
half lot 64, amended map Rhoda tract,
Berkeley; \$1800.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE

Emma and W. N. Gabriel (husband) to
A. Harper—Auto automobile at 1229
street, Oakland; \$500.

RELEASE OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE

C. K. Nichols to W. D. Howell—66 PE
residential property in store on SE corner
of Eleventh and Fourteenth streets, O
\$200.

LEGAL NOTICES.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Savings Bank of Oakland, Oakland, California, was held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner Broadway and Broadway, Oakland, on Tuesday, January 31, 1912, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

ARTHUR L. HARRIS, Secretary.

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H. A. MOSHER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
UNION SAVINGS BANK.
For the six months ending December 31, 1911, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum.

rate of interest as the principal.
A. E. H. CRAMER, Cash

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
On December 5, 1911, R. F. H.

stand and stock located at Northwest
ner 8th and Franklin sts., City of
land. All bills must be presented
before December 12, 1911. The purc
is responsible for no debts or oblig
of former owners.
(Signed) ROBT. F. BECKE

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP
The copartnership heretofore existing between Fred Sandelin and Chas. H. Mentz, under the name and style "Sandelin Drug Co.," in the City of Alameda, County of Alameda, State of California, is dissolved by mutual consent, Dated, Dec. 5, 1911.
FRED SANDELIN
CHAS. H. MENTZ

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Harbor Bank will be held at the banking rooms, at the corner of Third and Franklin streets, Oakland, California, Tuesday, January 9, 1912, at 3:30 p. m. for the election of directors and such business as may come before the meeting.
C. C. SPAULDING, secretary.

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NEW YORK STOCK LIST

Following quotations of prices of stocks on the New York stock Exchange are from the Wall Street Journal, New York stock exchange, with offices in the Mills building, Madison and Bush streets, San Francisco.			
	Bid.	Ask.	
.. Am. Agriculture.	53 1/4	54 1/4	54 1/4
.. Am. Cattle.	10 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
.. Am. Chalmers.	3 1/4	3 1/2	3 1/2
.. Do pfd.	8 1/4	8 1/2	8 1/2
.. Am. Copper.	8 1/4	8 1/2	8 1/2
.. Am. Beet Sugar.	53 1/4	53 1/2	54 1/4
.. Do pfd.	11 1/4	11 1/2	11 1/2
.. Am. C. & O.	11 1/4	11 1/2	11 1/2
.. Am. C. & P.	91 1/4	91 1/2	91 1/2
.. Am. C. & F. C.	6 1/4	6 1/2	6 1/2
.. Do pfd.	114 1/4	114 1/2	114 1/2
.. Tm. Cotton Oil.	44	44	44 1/4
.. Do pfd.	92	92	92 1/4
.. Am. Eide & L.	3 1/4	3 1/2	3 1/2
.. Do pfd.	20	20	20 1/4
.. Am. Ice Securities.	19 1/4	19 1/2	20 1/4
.. Am. Indneer.	9 1/4	9 1/2	9 1/2
.. Do pfd.	35 1/4	35 1/2	35 1/2
.. Am. Locomotive.	37	37	37 1/4
.. Do pfd.	103 1/4	103 1/2	103 1/2
.. Am. Sme. & B. C.	70 1/4	70 1/2	70 1/2
.. Do pfd.	103 1/4	103 1/2	103 1/2
.. Am. Steel.	115 1/4	115 1/2	115 1/2
.. Do pfd.	115 1/4	115 1/2	115 1/2
.. Am. Steel Found.	32	32	32 1/4
.. Do pfd.	130 1/4	130 1/2	130 1/2

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100	Am Woolen	27%	20%	27	27%
400	Anascenda	85%	87%	88%	38%
400	Atlantic C Line	187%	180%	183%	187
400	Atlantic C Line	109%	109	109	109
100	Do ptd	103%	103	103%	103%
100	Bethlehem Steel	23	23	23	23
100	Balt & Ohio	101%	101	101%	101
100	Do ptd	88	88	88	88
400	Can Pac	15%	75%	100	100
400	Canadian Pacific	240%	238%	240	240%
500	C & O	72%	71%	72%	72%
100	C & A	18	18	18	18
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400	Do ptd	31	31	31	30

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100 Erie	1553	15	36%
100 Genl Electric	5044	51	31%
100 Do 2d prfd	41	41	42%
1000 General Electric	2634	34	24%
1000 Genl Electric	34	34	25%
8000 Gt Northern prd.1284	127	128	128%
8400 Goldfield Con	4%	4%	4%
10000 Inland	145	14	14%
8000 Interboro-Met	14%	14%	14%
400 Do	46%	46%	46%
200 Inland	100	100	100%
Do prfd	115	120	120%
8000 Internat Paper	0	0%	10%
10000	40%	40	40%
6000 Internat Paper	83	83	33%
100 Do prfd	84	84	83%
1000 Iowa Central	30	30	30%
1000	16	16	16%

200 K C Southern	28%	28%	177%	178
1700 Lehigh Valley	178%	174%	177%	178
900	178%	174%	177%	178
100 Mackay	178%	174%	177%	178
Do p'd			81	87
100 Miami Cont'l	34%	34%	71	73
100 Miami Copper	22%	21%	21%	21%
100 Minn&St L 1 p'd	60%	60%	60%	60
400 M K & S. A. S.	29%	29%	108	108
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400 M K & Texas	29%	29%	29%	30
400 Missouri Pacific	38%	38%	38%	39
400 National Lead	49%	49%	49%	49%
400 National Biscuit	128%	128%	128%	128
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...	Northern Pacific	73%	78	93
8300	Northern Pacific	117%	117%	117%
...	Omaha	...	137	141
...	100	100
400	Pacific Mail	31%	31%	31%
...	Pacific Tel & T. 47	47	48	48
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2100	Penn R R Co	124%	124%	122
200	Peoples Gas	103%	100%	103%
260	Peoples Coal	103	103	103
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	Do 2d prd			13%	13
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800	Do prd	83%	83	83	83%
	Do 1st prd	24%	24	24	24%
	Do 2d prd	46%	46	44	47%
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4700	Southern Pac.	112%	110%	112%	112%
2600	Southern Ry	29%	29	29%	29%

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300	Bexas Pacific	23	23	23	24	24
700	Texas Oil	85	88	84	87	88
100	U S Steel	17	91	30	85	87
100	St L & W.	15	74	15	10	10
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2200	Do	pdf	109	109	109	109
100	U S Copper	17	91	30	85	87

100 Va.-Car Chem Co.			53	63 1/2
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1700 Wm. Mary	8 1/4	6 1/4	6 1/4	6 1/4
3100 Do pfd	18	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Wells Fargo ex.			147	181
2000 Wm. Mary	6 1/4	6 1/4	6 1/4	6 1/4
260 Western Union	78 1/4	78 1/4	78 1/4	78 1/4
300 Westinghouse	65	63	64 1/2	65
100 W. L. E.	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4
Do 1st pfd			10	12 1/2
Do 2d pfd			6	6
Wacoan Cen			53	6
Underwood	108 1/2	107 1/2	108	106
513300—Total shares sold. Bonds, \$4,842,000.				
1000—Total Opening 4 1/2 per cent. high; 4 1/2				
per cent.; low, 2 1/2 per cent.; last loan, 3 1/4 per				
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per cent.				
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CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Cattle.—Market steady to the lower end; at 23,000; market, steady to the lower end; heavy, \$4.70@5.15; Texas steers, \$4.10@5.75; Western steers, \$4.40@7.25; stockers and feeders, \$3.50@5.00; calves, \$5.00@6.25; hogs, \$5.00@8.25.

Hogs.—Receipts, estimated at 3,900; market slow to the lower; light, \$5.00@5.50; mixed, \$4.75@5.35; heavy, \$5.50@6.37½; rough, \$5.80@6.05; good to choice heavy, \$6.00@6.37½; pigs, \$4.65@5.50; bulk of sale, \$4.00.

Sheep.—Receipts, estimated at 42,000; market weak, 10c lower; native, \$3.85@4.15; Western, \$2.75@4.10; yearlings, \$4.25@5.50. Lambs—Native, \$3.75@5.10; Western, \$4.25@5.10.

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PERSONALS

AA—Spirit Medium

I DO HEREBY SOLEMNLY AGREE
AND GUARANTEE to make no charge
if I fail to call on you by your name,
promise, to tell you whether your husband,
wife, sweetheart is true or false; tell
you how to gain the love of the one you
most desire, even though miles away; how
to succeed in business, speculation, law,
medicine; how to gain youth, health and
wealth; removes influences, cures drink
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diseases. REV. J. BROWN TELLS ALL.
Never asks a question, earns what is
before you by consulting this great clair-
voyant. He is absolutely reliable. Per-
manently located in private home. The
wise use of every sense to compass vic-
tory! Thousands helped. Special reading,
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dead trance readings; palmist, astrologer,
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good luck; helps you in love, marriage,
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evil influences, cures all diseases; tells
your full name; \$5 life reading 50c; hours
9 a. m. to 9 p. m. 573 12th st. next Or-
pheum Theater.

A merchant would not think a woman
very wise if she purchased a yard less
silk for a gown than she needed—ev-
en if it were very fine silk. Nor is the mer-
chant who sells a column less wise
even if it is very fine advertising space
—and costly.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a
home or advice, is invited to call or
write the matron of The Salvation
Army Home, Health Heights, Cal.,
phone Merritt 3827.

COMFORTABLE home for old people and
invalids; chronic cases taken; by week
or month. 271 E. 14th.

GAS Consumers' Association reduces your
bill 15% to 30%. 338 12th st.

L. S. CLARK, Atty-at-Law, 851 Jackson
st.—Consultation free; open evenings;
Opp. Hale's.

MME. STANLEY, clairvoyant, palmist,
permanently located 1018 Washington,
Opp. Hale's.

MME. DE SALONIKA, clairvoyant, card
reader, 217 Clay st. near 6th.

A YOUNG MAN, 15 to 20 years old, who
is anxious to learn the real estate busi-
ness and not afraid to work; small sal-
ary to start; position desired by Jan. 1,
1932. Address application in writing to
Box 7972, Tribune.

GENTLEMAN or lady representative for
internal lodge work; large field, most
liberal contract in state. 303 Bacon
Block, 9-12 a. m.

MEN and women learn the barber trade;
wages while learning. International
Barber School, 790 Howard st., San
Francisco.

WANTED—Ship draftsmen and assistant
ship draftsmen; pay from \$10.40 per
month to \$2 per diem; a competitive examina-
tion will be held at the Navy Yard,
Marine Island, Vallejo, Cal., Jan. 15,
1932, for the purpose of establishing an
eligible register. For further informa-
tion, apply to the Commandant, Navy Yard,
Marine Island, Vallejo, Cal.

WANTED FOR U. S. ARMY, able-bodied
unmarried men, between ages of 18
and 45, citizens of United States, of
good character and temperate habits,
who can speak, read and write the
English language. For information ap-
ply to Recruiting Officer, 856 Broad-
way, New York City.

WANTED—First-class soliciting sales-
men; pay cities and states; \$2000
to \$2000 weekly; quick paying com-
missions. Matthews, 33 Bacon building.

Wanted efficient person for responsible
position in hotel and secure desirable
positions for efficient. 238 Bacon
Bldg.; phone Oakland 2298.

WANTED—A high-grade salesman for a
permanent position. Apply at room 514
Thayer Bldg., Oakland.

LIQUOR CURE
MEN, WOMEN NOTICE—Liquor disease
cured in three weeks and write for
Connelly's Liquor Cure; in past
years over 10,000 cases successfully
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HELP WANTED—FEMALE
Experienced hemmers on men's shirts.
Experienced buttonhole operators on
men's shirts.
Experienced sleeve makers on men's
shirts.

ULMAN, REELOSCHOW & BROWN,
10 minutes' walk from Market st. ferry.
AT the Success, 1256 Broadway, room 231,
cooks, \$50; nurses, \$30; chambermaids,
second girls, house girls, \$35 and \$40.
Phone Oakland 4244.

A DAY-ATTENDANT for elderly lady in
Berkeley; wages \$18. Box 407, Trib-
une.

A GIRL for general housework; wages
\$35. 2928 Derby st., Berkeley.

A GIRL to assist in housework. 542 27th
st.

BERKELEY New Employment Office—
Good cooks, first and second girls, girl
for general housework. 1128 Bancroft
way; phone Berkeley 587.

COOK—wages, practical nurses and
girls for general housework. Woman's
Employment Exchange; phone A 4558,
Oakland 3869.

COMPETENT help wanted. Mrs. Nel-
son's Employment Agency, 1256 Broad-
way; phone Oakland 4244.

EXPERIENCED lady as bookkeeper and
saleslady in grocery business; reference.
Apply N. H. Heilmann, Station C, Oak-
land.

EXPERIENCED nurse to assist with two
children. Call 2029 Benvenue, Berkeley;
phone Berkeley 4462.

EXPERIENCED nurse to assist with two
children. Call 2029 San Antonio ave.,
Alameda; phone Alameda 1354.

GIRL about 17 to assist light housework;
small home; small family. Phone Pied-
mont 4660.

GIRL for general housework in small fam-
ily. 104 Pala ave.; phone Piedmont
2456.

GIRL for light housekeeping; two in fam-
ily; good home; \$15 per month. Call
193 San Bruno ave.; phone Oakland 1680.

GIRLS to learn telegraphing, salaries \$50
to \$200, at 1166 Broadway, room 20.

HOME EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 959
Clay, bet. 9th and 10th; Oakland 4438.

JAPANESE employment and house-clean-
ing office, 819 7th st.; Oak. 3916, A 4708.

LIGHT housework, plain cooking, 8 in
family; call after 10 a. m. 886 54th st.

MIDDLE-AGED woman to care for 1-
year-old baby; must be good cook; re-
ference. Phone Berkeley 4458.

NEAT, reliable girl for general house-
work; good home, family of four; wages
\$25 to \$30. Phone Berkeley 5312.

RELIABLE person to assist with light
housework and care of children. 5054
Vicente; phone Piedmont 714.

WANTED—A good girl, or middle-aged
woman to care for two children and do
light housework; good home, family of
112, Evans Ave.; phone Merritt 2344.

WANTED—Good, neat girl for general
housework; good wages; light work;
small home; small family for light par-
son; call 1850 25th ave.; phone A 4719.

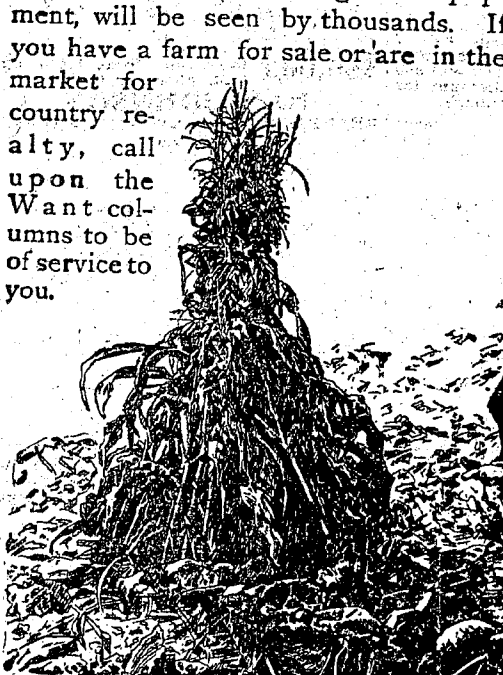
WANTED—Five salesladies, between ages
of 20 and 40; permanent employment.
Apply at room 514 Thayer Bldg., Oak-
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SELL FARMS

TELLING the facts about farm
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A want ad giving the details as to
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Want col-
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BOTH PHONES—Oak. 528
Home A2151

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

(Continued)

WANTED—First-class cook; good home;
wages \$35 to \$40. 444 Jones
st.; phone Oakland 7416.

WANTED—Girl for general housework;
also woman to do day's washing. 527
Claywood.

WANTED—A girl for general housework;
French preferred. Phone Piedmont 761.

YOUNG girl to assist in housework in
small family. Phone Piedmont 2887.

YOUNG nurse girl to assist with 2 chil-
dren. Phone Berkeley 4462.

SITUATIONS WANTED

MALE

A PRESSER who can do some bushing;
wishes a situation to do pressing and
also an opportunity to more thoroughly
learn the bushing trade; will press at
reduced wages. Phone Merritt 2935.

A YOUNG man wishes position as chauff-
eur; good truck driver; do own repair-
ing. 4009 Woodruff ave., B. Oakland.

AA—EXPERIENCED meat cutter, sales-
man or all round butcher desires to go to
work. 821 52d ave., Melrose.

CHINESE, good cook, wants position in
family or boarding house. Address
Chinese Mission, 337 Harrison st., Oak-
land.

COLORADO CHEF for boarding house or
hotel; good meat and pastry cook.
Phone A-6555.

EXPERIENCED Japanese laundry boy
wishes a position in family; city or coun-
try. Tokyo, 970 West st.; phone Oak-
land 3748.

FIRST-CLASS Japanese cook wants posi-
tion in family; city or country. Prunk,
phone Oakland 6149.

HONEST, ambitious young man wishes
position with good, reliable real estate
agent. Phone evenings, Oakland 6660,
room 9.

HOUSE and window cleaning, carpet
laying or painting, by day or contract.
Address Box 7939, Tribune.

JAPANESE boy wants position as small
family; \$5 up. Phone Oakland 7444.

JAPANESE boy wants work after
6 o'clock p. m. in Oakland or Alameda;
for room. Mitoma, 413 7th st.

JAPANESE boy wants position as school
boy in private family. 1738 Broadway;
phone A 2022, Oakland 9122.

JAPANESE, good cook, wants place in
family; no side work. Address Tom,
878 8th st.

LET ME figure your work; building or
contracting. N. Getty, 2815 Viola st.,
Alameda Dis.; plans furnished if de-
sired.

NURSERYMAN wishes to meet party with
capital to establish tree nursery; fine
location; must be able to

ROOMS TO LET

FURNISHED—(Continued)
SUNNY front room for gentlemen; board, 514 16th st. west near Jefferson.

ROOMS TO LET

UNFURNISHED
FIVE rooms, complete; linoleum in kitchen; coal stove; gas shelf. 478 Moss ave. THREE sunny, unfurnished rooms, private bath; \$12 per month. Apply 914 Brush st.

ROOMS AND BOARD

A BEAUTIFUL, sunny room with board; strictly modern; running water and large closet. 1063 Jackson.

BEAUTIFUL, new, sunny, corner house; steam heat, hot and cold water, wall paper, single or double; private bath; no board; breakfast and dinner served; no luncheon; business people only; 5 minutes to 14th and Broadway. 1243 Jackson.

AT the Alameda, 524 24th st., near Telegraph ave., large sunny room with private bath, also single room; excellent table. Phone Oakland 4539.

A SLENDID private boarding place; large location; steam heat; excellent table. 1397 Alice st., cor. 19th.

A LARGE sunny room with bath, table board, home cooking; reasonable. 1494 Webster st.; phone Oak. 6550.

BOARD and room, or day board; everything new; good home cooking; private family; close in. 135 12th st.

BEAUTIFUL front room, private bath, with board, in private home; also other rooms. 320 19th st.

DE LUX—Elegant newly furnished rooms, first class board, Sunday dinners a specialty. 1402 Franklin st.

FRONT, sunny rooms, excellent board, \$8 a week. 262 11th st.

HOTEL ST. MARK, now catering to families on American plan; rates surprisingly moderate. 12th and Franklin sts.

ROOM and board, home comforts and cooking; near Key Route. 1004 10th st., corner Filbert.

ROOM and board in private family; gentlemen preferred. 357 19th st.

ST. ELMO—Newly furnished; boarding and rooming house; steam heat; near Key Route. 1688 Waverly st., cor. 24th.

SUNNY room and board, private family, for lady. Phone Merritt 2534.

THE DEL MAR

185 FIFTEENTH STREET.
Room and board, single or en suite; all modern conveniences. Oak. 6332. A 380.

THE LAKEVIEW—Extra large, sunny rooms, with excellent board, facing the lake; hot and cold water, steam heat. 1067 Oak st.

1534 FELTON ST., South Berkeley—Elegant furnished room in private family; suitable for 1 or 2 gentlemen; board optional.

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GENTLEMAN; room and board in a small, tidy, quiet locality. Box 7940, Tribune.

IN refined private home by young man employed. Box 7958, Tribune.

ROOM and plain board for old man and son in private home; north of 20th, east of Grove st.; prefer cottage. Box 7950, Tribune.

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CHILDREN boarded; best care. 384 27th st.; phone A 1185.

FIRST-CLASS board and care of 1 or 2 children, by widow lady. 414 E. 13th.

INFANTS well cared for; good home; best of references. Phone Merritt 3265.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

ANY THREE sunny rooms, bath, laundry; regular kitchen; all conveniences; phone, etc.; reasonable; private home. 1229 Chestnut.

A SUNNY, well furnished housekeeping room, all conveniences. 2315 9th ave., cor. 22d, near Merritt.

AA—THREE furnished hkg. rooms; adults only. 533 33d, bet. Telegraph and Grove.

A SUNNY housekeeping room, \$3 a week, near Broadway. 604 1/2 14th st.

FROM rooms, regular kitchen, laundry, bath and phone. 3100 Market street.

LARGE sunny front room, nicely furnished; running water, bath; private. 725 Alice.

LARGE, sunny front room; rent \$12; bath, phone. 584 22d, near Grove.

NEWLY furnished suite with regular kitchen, bath, phone, convenient to localities. 215 Fulton.

NICELY furnished suite of two sunny housekeeping rooms, all conveniences; close to Key Route; locals. 738 9th st.

THREE furnished rooms; bath, kitchen, wash-tray, electricity, gas; \$20. 6078 14th, near 60th, three blocks east of Telegraph.

FIRE sunny, unfurnished rooms, housekeeping; block from Key Route, near S. P. station and car lines; cheap. 1064 4th ave.

TWO exceptionally sunny, newly furnished, regular kitchen, phone; also unfurnished; near San Pablo and Key Route. 538 34th st.

TWO large housekeeping rooms, \$3.50; also one large room, \$2.25. Address 866 1st st. bet. 12th and 13th.

TWO nicely furnished, sunny, housekeeping rooms; gas, electricity and bath free; \$18 a month. 1338 Telegraph.

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Two and three rooms, thoroughly modern, with sleeping porches. 503 19th st.

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A HOME by Lake Merritt; handsome front; apt. Key Route 2 blocks. "THE LAKE SHORE," 576 Lakeshore Blvd.; Mer. 1716.

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Rates \$28.50 up; furnished complete; dog-alloy chemical fire engine installed; 4 exits. 1213 Market st., off 16th st.; phone Oakland 4164.

CASA MADERA—Unfurnished, every modern amenity; phone, hot water, steam heat, janitor service, vacuum cleaning, wall bogs, gas stoves. 16th and Castro.

COLONADE, 546 23d st.—Cozy apts. 1-2-3 rooms; reduced; free lights. Pled. 125-3.

Coronado
Sunny, front, newly furnished 2 and 4 apartments; prices \$14 and \$25; bath, electric lights. 175 Grove.

Empress Apartments
Broadway at 33d st., 1 block north Key Route depot; walking distance; new building; new furniture; spacious living and dining rooms; sun parlor; every room, hot water, phones; private hall, separate dressing rooms; every modern amenity; 1, 2 and 3 rooms; furnished and unfurnished; prices reasonable.

FIRST-CLASS 3 and 4-room apartments for rent; first-class accommodations. 41st and Telegraph ave.

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MURIEL—Completely furnished 2 and 3 rooms; private phones; steam heat, electric; central location; 1 1/2 blocks from 22d st. Key Route depot; \$25 and up. 327 Grand ave., near Webster.

Peralta Apartments
Finest apartments in Oakland; central location, one block from Key Route, 3 blocks from S. P.; 25 outside rooms, grills attached; 15th and Jackson sts.

PARK VIEW APARTMENTS.
N.W. cor. 9th and Madison sts., now ready for occupancy; new, strictly modern 2-room apartments, furnished; steam heat, hot water, wall bogs, dressing rooms and large closets.

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1007 San Pablo ave.; phone Oakland 1148. We have today three rooms, beautifully furnished; sunny; bath, hot water, free phone; near Key Route; \$25 and up.

THREE-ROOM sunny apartment; modern; gas, electricity; yard; on car line; near Key Route; 5946 Telegraph ave., corner Rose.

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1807 PRINCE ST., Berkeley, sunny, furnished apartment; 3 rooms, bath, modern; cheap; near localities.

HOUSES AND ROOMS

WANTED
FIVE-ROOM cottage or lower flat, all conveniences, close in; permanent; state ready. Box 792, Tribune.

UNFURNISHED house of 8 to 10 rooms by very capable family; the address Lakeside; Linda Vista or Adams Point; this is a chance for an owner who would not mind a desirable lot; must be up-to-date. Box 7739, Tribune.

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TO LEASE—A store with 1000 square feet and basement, for rent on Washington st., near 15th st. Apply Box B-518, Tribune.

TO LEASE—A fine lot with 5000 square feet near Washington; ideal for billiard or poolroom. Apply Box 593, Tribune.

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FURNISHINGS of 9-room house; carpets, desk, hall-rack, dining table, china, sideboard, dishes, chifoniers, dressers, etc. 358 Vernon; phone Oakland 1704.

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WANTED—Second-hand Victrola; style and price; no dealers. Box 7908, Tribune.

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HIGHEST prices paid for old gold and diamonds. M. J. Schoenfeld, 1099 Bdwy.

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PIANOS tuned and repaired by expert; prices reasonable. Phone Piedmont 1956.

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See K. A. Millan about this.

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1060 Broadway. Phone—Oakland 147, A 2957.

\$3000—New modern 5-room cottage, good location, good location, close in; terms \$200 down, bal. \$30 a month, including interest.

\$3250—New, "up to date," 5-room cottage in Claremont district; hardwood floor, beamed ceiling, etc.; lot 35x100; terms \$750 cash, balance interest only.

\$3500—New 5-room cottage with hard-wood floors, beamed ceiling, built-in bookcases, large fireplace, large lot, driveway, near 40th st. Key Route local; terms \$300 down, balance to suit.

O. F. LINDBERG, localities; phone Oakland 4189 or Piedmont 5341.

\$6000 BUYS a good piece of property, including nice business, which yields a good living without effort, and A1 building, near groceries. Box 7944, Tribune.

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COUNTRY REAL ESTATE
FINE stock ranch in Mendocino Co.; near town and R. R.; plenty water, timber; 1850 acres at \$10. Address McHolme, Vallejo.

THIRTY acres near Lafayette, Contra Costa Co., on new electric road; good small subdivision property; price can be doubled within 3 months. Box B-542, Tribune.

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\$10 a month, this 3-room cottage, near E. 14th st. and depot. FRUITVALE REALTY CO., 364 E. 14th st.

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Melrose S. P. Bargains
5-room corner lot, 35x100, near Melrose station; \$2250. \$100 down, \$20 month. Box 3718, Tribune.

HOUSES FOR SALE

BARGAIN—Reduced to \$2500, \$750 cash, \$80 per month, including interest, modern bungalow 6 sunny rooms, 2 toilets and bath; central location; nicely furnished, including piano, velvet carpets, gas and coal ranges, etc.; worth \$4500. 416 60th st.

BARGAIN—\$1900, cottage 4 rooms and bath, laundry, lot 30 ft. front, 2 blocks from Clinton station; nicely furnished. Owner, 959 8th ave.; phone B-1200.

BARGAIN—New bungalow, north side of 42d st., near Grove; owner on premises.

CLOSE in bungalow; must sacrifice for \$3000, near Key Route and car line; fine neighborhood.

FOR SALE, or exchange, a nice home 10 rooms and finished attic; large lot; unobstructed view; convenient to cars and el.; will exchange for income city property; owner is left alone in this large home; price very low. Address E. A. Johnson, 2127 Center st., Berkeley; phone B 2435, Berkeley 2435.

FOR SALE—I must sell my 5-room modern house with double lot, facing two streets; large basement, cemented and celled for another family; flowers, berries, etc. will sell for \$1000. Address price \$2400, half cash. Call 1343 14th ave.

FOR SALE—6-room cottage, bath, sleep-ing porch; lot 40x135; terms to suit; 23d street, bet. 30th and 31st, st. B. M. Cole, owner, 3054 25d ave.; phone Merritt 2342.

I MUST sacrifice my 7-room house, with furnace heat, hardwood floors all through, near Key Route. 593 62d st., phone B-1202.

MODERN 5-room cottage; gas, electric-ity; on car line; \$300 down, balance terms to suit. Call 1678 Hopkins st., phone Merritt 3530.

NEW 5-room cottage in Claremont; lot 32x100; \$3000; \$250 cash. Phone Piedmont 3651.

VERY SUNNY, NEW HOUSE 3 ROOMS, SLEEPING PORCH; FINE LAKE VIEW; \$6100. PHONE PIEDMONT 4557.

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NICELY furnished 13 rooms, 9 rented bring \$65 above rent. 1154 Alice



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Every family here ought to keep some Diapiesin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of Indigestion or Stomach Trouble at any time, day or night.

This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a distressed, out-of-order stomach five minutes afterward.

If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lay like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of Indigestion.

Ask your Pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Diapiesin, and take a little just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, Nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

Diapiesin is a certain cure for out-of-order stomachs, because it prevents fermentation and takes hold of your food and digests it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there.

Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is at your drug store, waiting for you.

These large 50-cent cases of Diapiesin contain more than sufficient to cure any case of Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any other Stomach Trouble.

CELIA SAMANTHA TO BE CARED FOR

Peter Sharp Will Not Turn Second Wife Out for Oakland Woman.

PITTSBURG, Kas., Dec. 11.—Celia Samantha is going to be well taken care of, and, incidentally, I will see to that," said Peter Sharp last night in speaking of the divorce suit he had instituted against the second of his two wives. He is making an effort to clear up the middle his family affairs have been in since the return to his residence a few months ago of Anne Catherine, his first wife, whom he had believed to be dead. "You don't think she is going to be turned out in the street. No, never. I'll stand by her through this trouble."

Celia Samantha, who announced her intention of contesting the suit, has failed in her efforts to get a lawyer to oppose the divorce.

Christmas Hints

Why not a Xmas order for a pair of Shon On Eye Glasses. Will fit almost any nose. Gold and Gold-filled Opera Glasses, Field Glasses.

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1153 Washington St., near 13th
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GLAD WEEK OPENS AT THE ORPHEUM

Bill Is Joyous One for Vaudeville Lovers

James Diamond, Clara Nelson and Pat the Third Win Applause

(By LEO LEVY.)

When James Diamond, high-kicks over the head of his most fair and most tall vaudeville partner at the Oakland Orpheum, you evade the law and mentally bet yourself that he cannot do it again. And when he takes you up and repeats the hair-raising performance (get that?) you are willing to pay any number of debts he may win in the same way. It would seem that this is one of the several accomplishments of Diamond, who reminds you, by the way, of a boneless sardine. Miss Clara Nelson, who accompanies him, possesses, besides feminine beauty, a voice that carries beyond the fifth row and one that may be branded musical. It is strong and carries the melody, rather an odd possession for a stage beauty.

Diamond and Nelson have "something new" with which to coax the elusive smiles from your wallet. At length the program and the billboard assure you it is new. While things vaudeville are fresh for a year at least, we'd hardly care to lay a wager on the strength of the billboard's claims. However, you don't mind the age of some of the act, after you have looked Miss Nelson over and watched the singing sardine evolve for awhile.

HORSEPLAY AND GOWNS. Brown, Harris and Brown, two of whom you know—and offering for your delight much horseplay and Miss Harris' gowns. The act is for women mostly, we would say. For instance, Hank Brown gives an excellent illustration of how an overworked Congress would look unhindered by the four walls of the month. Then there are on Miss Harris' attire 3,587,322 spangles, unless we misquote the press-agent. A lively lot are the three, and they work hard when they do work. Big sister sings a bit and the family dances a bit and it is really a joyous sort of an act, even if it doesn't set the asbestos curtain ablaze.

ROCKING APPLAUSE. Those Four Entertainers, which stands for a quartet, received applause that was thunderous and rocking yesterday night to say they deserved what they got. Cunningham and Marion in "an acrobatic talker," scored likewise and sent the audience home in a sort of good humor that was inaugurated by Hinton and Wootton, who opened in a novel game of football on bicycles.

And Pat Rooney III scored the hit of the day with an imitation of his father. Little Pat, who looks to register two years in the age schedule, shows signs of being a splinter off the chip of the old block. And may we review his work when he's as old and as lively as father?

F. Reynard scored heavily enough to deserve a second week, and again proved his ability to draw a laugh with a remarkable display of ventriloquism. Conductor L. Kowalski's splendid operatic program is a fitting opener for a bill in good goodness. Kowalski is making local musical history since his orchestra was made one of the features at the Orpheum and yesterday's musical offering is one of the things you may boast of to your neighbor who didn't attend yesterday.

That was the cue for the bandit to flee, believing that help was near. Which way he ran could not be told the police when they arrived four minutes later.

HE WAS BANDIT, BUT SO YOUNG!

And Little Physician Fools Him Into Fleeing for His Life.

OMAHA, Neb., Dec. 11.—A big shining revolver stuck rigidly into his face by a careless young bandit was the signal for Dr. J. B. Cain, a small gray-haired man, to defeat the winter season's first attempt at highway robbery last night.

"Oh, you get out of here," the little doctor had said, rather superciliously, when the young man, his face partially hidden behind an immaculate kerchief, stepped into the door with the band and gun. And then he remarked the recklessness of the youth.

Jumping quickly from his seat, the doctor grasped the revolver and grappled with the robber, but found he was not strong enough to cope with the adversary, but had time to cry to the vacant back room:

"Bring me that gun."

That was the cue for the bandit to flee, believing that help was near. Which way he ran could not be told the police when they arrived four minutes later.

DR. NIETO RE-ELECTED BY HIS CONGREGATION

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.—With almost the entire membership present the Hebrew Israel Congregation at a meeting held yesterday afternoon at the temple at California and Webster streets, unanimously re-elected Rev. Dr. Nieto rabbi for a term of three years with the same salary that he has been receiving during his incumbency for the past eighteen years.

In order to pay off the floating indebtedness of the congregation, the members subscribed bonds to the amount of \$15,000 which will put the institution on a firm financial basis.

LIGHTNING KILLS FEW. In 1906 lightning killed only 169 people in this whole country. One's chances of death by lightning are less than two in a million. The chance of death from liver, kidney or stomach trouble is vastly greater, but not if Electric Bitters be used, as Robert Mosen of West-Burlington, Ia., proved. Four doctors gave him up after eight months of suffering from liver trouble and yellow jaundice. He was then completely cured by Electric Bitters. They're the best stomach, liver, nerve and kidney remedy and blood purifier on earth. Only one at Osgood Bros.



CLARA NELSON.

CHIDED BY WIFE, WEALTHY FARMER COMMITS SUICIDE

WILLOWS, Dec. 11.—Because his wife had chided him for drinking while in town Saturday, William Olgart, a well-known and prosperous farmer of Glenn county, residing northeast of Willows, committed suicide this morning. He was formerly proprietor of Wilbur hot springs, where he resided for several years.

PROPOSES INVESTIGATION. WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A thorough investigation of the Interior Department by the House committee on expenditures in that department is proposed in a resolution presented by Representative Graham of Illinois, chairman of the committee. His resolution would empower the committee to recommend reforms.

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THREE INJURED TO SAVE TWO WOMEN

New Yorker Drives Auto Into Curb, Throwing Occupants Onto Sidewalk.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—In order to avoid running down two elderly women, Arnold Daiden, a well-known and prosperous farmer of Glenn county, residing northeast of Willows, committed suicide this morning. He was formerly proprietor of Wilbur hot springs, where he resided for several years.

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